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Independent Order of Odd Fellows
OF THE
STATE OF ILLINOIS



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OF THE

Independent Order of Odd Fellows

REPRESENTATIVES' HALL, STATE HOUSE,

November 19, 1918, 3:00 o'clock P. M.

THE GRAND LODGE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS OF THE INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS was called to order by Grand Master H. M. Blood.

Upon roll call, Grand Officers were found to be present as follows:

H. M. BLOOD.....	Grand Master.
L. M. KAGY.....	Deputy Grand Master.
JOHN W. BIRNEY.....	Grand Warden.
JOHN H. SIKES.....	Grand Secretary.
MELVIN P. BERRY.....	Grand Treasurer.
JAMES EWING DAVIS.....	Grand Representative.
A. OTIS ARNOLD.....	Grand Representative.
O. F. JORDAN.....	Grand Chaplin.
ANDREW G. ANDERSON.....	Grand Marshal.
C. EDWIN JOHNSON.....	Grand Conductor.
E. A. RIDENOUR.....	Grand Guardian.
A. L. BONE.....	Grand Herald.
OWEN SCOTT	Grand Instructor.
CHARLES M. HUNT.....	Asst. Grand Instructor.

The Grand Secretary reported a quorum of Representatives in attendance.

The Grand Marshal reported all correct.

The Opening Ode was then sung.

The Grand Chaplain invoked the Divine blessing in the following words:

Almighty God, we invoke Thy favor upon this assemblage of brethren, may their covenant of friendship find richer and deeper meaning through the fellowship of common counsel, grant that the

meetings of the Grand Lodge may be wise in deliberations, brotherly in spirit and open-eyed in vision. May the passion of human brotherhood arising here be carried to every man in the Fraternity of this great State and be the motive power of countless acts of kindness.

Grant to bless our officers with true leadership, may love of the brethren move every voice that speaks and may no selfishness or pride or contention mar our harmony. Give to us all a larger measure of Jonathan's modesty and more of the helpfulness of the Good Samaritan.

Our Father which art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil for Thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory, now and forever Amen.

The Deputy Grand Master, by order of the Grand Master, then proclaimed the Grand Lodge open for the transaction of business.

The Grand Master ordered the Flag to be displayed, whereupon the Grand Warden placed the colors to the right of the Grand Master. America was sung and all saluted the Flag.

The printed Reports of the Grand Lodge Officers were received and referred to a Special Committee for analysis and the distribution of the matters therein to appropriate committees.

On motion of Bro. L. L. McKinley, P.G.M., the minutes of the last session were approved as printed without reading.

The Grand Master announced appointments as follows:

Assistants to the Grand Guardian—E. B. Hackelman, of No. 260; Edw. O. Guyton, of No. 1026; Arthur Mason, of No. 321; J. H. Byers, of No. 886; A. K. Doran, of No. 336.

Assistants to the Grand Marshal—Thos. McLean, of No. 608; H. W. Beebe, of No. 817; Thos. B. Fitzgerald, of No. 198; P. F. Swanson, of No. 446; B. H. Hissong, of No. 34; Fred Kelly, of No. 42; F. J. Fitzgerald, of No. 198; James W. Waters, of No. 531; Geo. Stuckey, of No. 933; Walter B. Creighton, of No. 141; E. W. Riechmann, of No. 328; Morris Goldstein, of No. 521.

Committee on Analysis and Distribution—Fred B. Merrills, P.G.M., of No. 650; W. R. McGaughey, of No. 300; Harry G.

Cormick, of No. 179; F. D. P. Snelling, of No. 601; John W. Fling, Jr., of No. 244; E. E. Skillin, of No. 295; John E. Jennings, P.G.M., of No. 158; George F. Koester, of No. 601; E. R. Saylor, P.G.M., of No. 6; Nelson Foley, of No. 8; A. B. Chadwick, of No. 214; D. H. Chapman, of No. 762.

Custodian—Edward Priestman, of No. 6.

Messenger for Grand Master—F. W. Jackson, of No. 217.

Official Reporter—Svon Windrow, of No. 812.

Custodian of the Secret Work—C. M. Hunt, of No. 11.

The Grand Master also announced as

Committee on Necrology—James Ewing Davis, P.G.M.; Owen Scott, P.G.M.; M. P. Berry, P.G.M.

The Grand Secretary announced the following appointments:

Journal Clerk—H. J. Reeziger, of No. 488.

Assistant—A. C. Low, No. 6.

Messenger—H. B. Carley, of No. 465.

DOCUMENT NO. 1.

First report by Brother Clyde McAllister, of No. 962.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Credentials would respectfully report as follows:

They have examined the credentials of Representatives-elect of their several lodges, and find the following correct and recommend that the Brothers named be admitted to seats in this body as Representatives:

For the term of two years:

2 Arthur J. Geist	28 Harry R. Puterbaugh
4 Robt. C. Allen	30 E. L. Yoder
6 Theo. Agnew	34 Simon Geiger
8 Wm. F. Sutherland	38 Orlie Johnson
10 Henry Roe	40 J. F. Denton
12 C. Newman	42 Fred Kelley
14 E. J. Hahn	44 A. T. Short
16 C. A. Prince	46 Robt. N. Fangenroth
18 C. O. Samuelson	48 Geo. Behrens
20 S. R. Ford	50 Howard B. Petty
22 Wallie G. Lorentz	52 Harvey Stark
24 Robt. Black	54 Jas. Manhart
26 H. D. Jett	56 C. H. Mishler

58 Henry Grote	152 Jno. M. Burt
60 John A. Fosdick	154 Fred Randall
62 A. M. Spicer	158 F. M. Pearce
64 F. R. Black	160 Geo. B. Moreland
66 Hiram Wilkins	162 Geo. Weisshaar
68 Robert T. Millner	164 Bruce Machen
70 J. E. Coultas	166 Chas. C. Smith
74 Jno. Mortensen	170 J. E. Wells
76 J. A. Powell	172 Oscar Peterson
80 Wayne L. Beden	174 J. C. Stoddard
82 C. E. Newton	176 C. I. Miller
84 Edward Fries	178 John V. Tucker
86 Eugene Lafont	180 Geo. Flock
88 Jno. E. Heim	182 J. E. Lassater
90 Geo. Pattison	184 H. B. Famulener
92 E. E. Barr	186 W. W. Curry
94 Mathew McCulloch	188 D. S. Prentiss
96 E. H. Buffum	190 Eugene Bristol
98 J. W. Perriman	192 Wm. Edwards
100 Hamil Veach	194 Jno. H. Shank
102 S. J. Wiley	196 Oscar Allen
104 F. C. Houchins	198 T. J. Fitzgerald
106 W. H. Bicknell	200 I. S. Dunn
108 A. S. Hart	202 Rudolf Tabor
110 Martin E. Luck	204 Adam Denger
112 Oscar Parrish	206 J. J. Withers
114 E. J. Jones	208 Brick Norvill
116 Toby J. Travis	210 J. S. Allen
118 J. E. Taylor	212 Geo. J. Sidford
120 E. P. Rose	214 A. B. Chadwick
122 N. S. Buchannan	216 J. W. Harkey
124 Ed. A. Kessler	218 Joe Adelman
126 J. T. North	220 Walter C. Stone
128 Porter L. Thompson	222 Fred W. Walther
130 R. E. Billings	224 Geo. A. Piper
132 K. H. Kilby	226 E. E. Wright
134 Homer Snyder	230 Fred Harris
136 Oscar Perrine	232 Coe Melvin
138 S. W. Yocum	234 F. V. Addis
140 C. F. Kleine	236 Jno. W. Murphy
142 R. H. Dickerson	238 Joe Belanger
144 W. S. Norris	240 Ernest Blish
146 Webster E. Johnson	242 Luther S. Fitzgerrell
148 W. J. Patterson	244 Jacob Neu
150 C. C. Ream	246 Mads C. Larsen

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| 250 J. E. Beaver | 348 H. E. Standefer |
| 252 N. G. Foreman | 350 Edw. W. Lewis |
| 254 B. N. Sutton | 352 Wm. E. Gawthrop |
| 256 Elmer Dalton | 354 W. H. Shriver |
| 258 Jas. Jencks | 356 E. A. Ranson |
| 260 Frank Warren | 358 L. S. Johnson |
| 262 Wm. H. Ong | 362 H. Baird |
| 264 C. A. McCord | 364 C. D. Raver |
| 266 Geo. Knott | 366 James J. Kelsey |
| 268 Jno. H. Bennett | 368 Myrvan A. King |
| 270 C. L. Hawkins | 370 C. A. Simmons |
| 272 Robt. Vlasaty | 372 Jno. H. Charno |
| 274 B. F. Hudson | 374 Wm. J. Thompson |
| 276 Benj. Longbons | 376 A. Rheingans |
| 280 Max Albert, Jr. | 378 I. L. Steinberg |
| 282 J. W. Miller | 380 Chas. Savio |
| 284 J. W. Drummond | 382 F. D. Seiler |
| 286 J. P. Friesz | 384 Edward Patterson |
| 288 Lloyd S. Bailey | 386 C. Otey |
| 290 A. W. Morris | 390 G. H. Hinderer |
| 292 John H. Reeb | 392 Wm. Lines |
| 294 W. C. Harger | 394 Richard Guymon |
| 296 Wm. Wright | 396 Brock Smith |
| 298 Henry J. Gunn | 398 Chas. F. Schuler |
| 300 W. H. Armstrong | 400 P. W. Gregory |
| 302 Jno. I. Williams | 402 Frank G. Scheu |
| 304 Richard Petty | 404 G. E. Williamson |
| 308 J. D. Philips | 406 Geo. Telford |
| 310 C. W. Sellars | 408 G. E. Teagarden |
| 312 Myron Newell | 412 J. W. Porter |
| 314 John Taylor | 414 Chas. Reeder |
| 316 Geo. Coley | 416 J. P. Ellacott |
| 318 T. L. Jarrett | 418 G. J. Johnson |
| 320 Thomas H. Doherty | 424 Robt. L. Harvey |
| 322 S. E. Nelson | 426 Thos. Reynolds |
| 324 Henry Blankenship | 428 H. E. Makutchan |
| 328 E. W. Rieckmann | 430 Wylie Storme |
| 330 C. D. W. Brownson | 432 Fred Haensler |
| 332 O. O. Larrick | 434 H. T. Koster |
| 334 Geo. Searles | 440 Jas. B. Muir |
| 336 L. J. Callaway | 442 Henry Morrow |
| 340 J. D. Hart | 444 J. W. Ramey |
| 342 Chas. A. Taylor | 438 E. T. Cline |
| 344 Elmer E. Spear | 446 P. F. Swanson |
| 346 S. J. Still | 436 J. H. Shelton |

450 Roy W. Kewley	554 J. A. Peterson
452 Sherman Sadler	556 D. W. Dillman
454 H. F. Gordon	558 I. N. Jones
456 E. H. Laurence	560 Leander Sharer
458 Lee R. Patterson	562 Henry A. Zellar, Jr.
460 E. L. Hyre	564 F. A. Davidson
462 Jasper Turnbaugh	566 Geo. S. Smith
464 Jno. DeBoer	568 D. A. Delap
466 Gilbert K. Swain	570 T. F. Hileman
468 W. O. Tally	572 J. W. Harris
470 Chas. Gunsten	576 W. J. Wall
472 Charles G. Slocumb	580 John R. Weir
476 Lewis Lessman	582 L. H. Auten
478 Geo. S. Flint	584 Chas. E. Burgeson
480 Jno. H. Root	586 Elwood Priest
484 Julius Berliant	588 Ewald J. Dittman
486 M. C. Atchison	590 Geo. J. Davis
488 Abraham M. Levinson	592 E. T. Bussong
492 Henry J. Anderson	596 T. B. Ruyle
494 Jas. Pennell	598 H. J. Kunkle
496 A. F. Holmes	600 Chas. Robinson
498 A. H. Keath	602 Geo. Turner
500 D. E. Fritz	604 Geo. W. Carr
502 Jno. H. Hartwell	608 Thos. McLean
504 E. E. Copeland	614 F. L. Clapp
506 Arno T. Rorer	616 W. P. Moore
508 D. A. Waite	618 N. Lindquist
510 J. A. Warren	620 A. L. Yoe
512 Jno. Warren	622 Wm. Warren
514 L. C. Martner	624 E. H. Young
516 Jas. Fleet	626 Oscar Williams
518 Swan Gustafson	628 Wm. Sults
520 Chas. Wallace	630 Frank Fucik
524 John P. Worley	632 Jas. Lucas
526 C. A. Wray	634 W. J. Scott
528 James M. Francis	636 Lafe Jenkins
532 Wm. Zwicker	638 S. S. Tanner
534 Jno. Beasley	640 Henry Knoop
538 W. I. Ashby	644 Heber Briscoe
540 Joseph Henry Debus	648 Paul Kraft
542 Walter Swanson	650 Raymond J. Clark
544 Nels. Martens	652 F. W. Stevenson
546 Max Beschorner	656 John Tidwell
550 Steven Watson	658 Theo. V. Hansen
552 Chas. Hall	660 Louis Fehland

662 A. W. Yowell
664 Ormell A. Cummings
666 W. P. Sherman
668 B. H. Reichelderfer
670 Cephas Hering
672 Matt Wright
674 J. Edgar Atkins
676 Wm. R. Harrell
678 L. D. Harrington
680 Fred Schoenberg
684 E. A. Ridenour
686 J. Roy Lough
688 Wm. Barner
690 Ira Haverstock
692 H. M. Gossett
694 Van D. Brown
698 Herman Herson
700 W. H. Clough
702 H. A. Bruno
704 F. C. Stevenson
708 Chas. Froelich
710 W. E. Shaw
712 C. L. Beals
714 Ed. Alters
716 Anthony Budzinski
718 J. Paul Kuhn
720 Conn Heiser
722 Robert Clark
724 John W. Rea
726 John H. Cashameyer
728 N. M. Smith
730 Fred Bauman
732 H. H. Hillis
734 W. Pitt Shreves
736 J. G. Estes
738 R. S. Sharp
740 W. E. Leischner
742 G. L. Smith
746 John Ewing
748 D. R. Brown
750 Geo. T. Schindler
752 F. R. Snively
754 S. C. Perisho
756 John Miller
758 Homer E. Henderson

766 Ed Hurd
768 A. B. Brown
770 Alonzo Dunkel
772 D. A. Slankard
774 W. I. Southworth
776 H. B. Stevenson
778 Frank Claus
780 John B. Williams
782 Anton Dick
784 Theo. G. Wachter
786 A. R. Boydston
788 W. R. Lafferty
790 J. E. Matheny
792 Wm. H. Fisher
794 Allan B. Hewerdine
796 Reason Alkine
798 Ernest R. Brewer
800 R. H. Muir
806 Wm. W. Williams
808 Bertie L. Stone
810 J. A. Gleckler
812 Andrew G. Anderson
814 W. T. Eckelbarger
816 John P. Johnson
820 N. Broullett
822 Isaac Golden
824 E. R. Edward
826 P. M. Waldrop
828 T. W. Hooper
830 E. W. Dickson
832 Louis Covey
834 F. W. Dunston
838 S. H. Kieffer
840 H. G. Carter
842 R. E. Brown
844 D. T. Guthrie
846 Jonas Hastings
848 L. C. Gustafson
850 Joseph Brown
852 Albert Lyons
858 Robt. J. Taylor
860 Joseph Yardley
862 J. B. Dawkins
864 C. R. Baxter
866 A. F. Kile

868 Geo. Mackey, Jr.	958 R. L. Smith
870 Raymond H. Held	962 J. D. McLain
874 Wm. F. Davis	954 Percy M. Crabs
876 T. J. Day	966 Henry Snyder
878 Jos. Knudson	970 Roy Arnold
880 Ernest Daehn	972 C. O. Peterson
884 J. R. Neal	974 Oriville Connor
886 H. H. Cowger	978 D. W. Rothramel
888 J. W. White	980 M. W. Jerden
890 John A. Jacobs	982 Isaac R. Combes
892 W. J. Schatz	984 J. M. Bass
894 Wm. Blair	986 Scott McGlasson
896 H. L. Dysart	990 Gus B. Eisner
900 John Garrison	992 J. S. Hughey
902 H. C. Mitchell	996 Jno. Little
904 C. E. Allen	998 W. A. Edwards
906 D. A. Howard	1000 Joe Hobart
908 P. J. Andersen	1004 Chas. Henschel
910 Thos. Booten	1006 C. A. Moxley
912 W. N. Briggs	1008 J. P. Burkett
916 Chrtsian G. Haebich	1010 Jno. C. Jackson
918 John W. Whited	1012 S. L. Watkins
922 Wm. Conn	1014 W. P. Deckert
926 G. A. McClure	1018 Alvin C. Gorden
932 B. B. Thackston	1020 J. W. King
934 J. Walter Scott	1022 L. W. Haskell
936 W. H. Parks	1024 S. B. Harris
938 H. G. Carlock	1026 S. D. Whitney
942 Guy McCormack	1028 C. E. Logan
944 Wm. Alexander	1030 C. E. Elder
946 B. S. Jolley	1032 Jas. J. Vesely
948 Joseph R. Zamboli	1034 W. L. Butler
952 Bert L. Gillian	1036 R. F. Owens
954 A. J. Mitchel	1040 Thos. J. Hurst
956 Henry F. Segert	

Which was adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 2.

Second report by Brother T. C. Stobbs, of No. 80.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your committee on Credentials would report that they have examined the credentials of the following Brothers and find their cre-

dentials correct and recommend that the Brothers named be admitted to seats in your Grand Body as Representatives:

For the term of one year:

9 John C. Perry	695 C. L. Dirskeil
19 Samuel Brewner	711 John Wilkinson
33 Dr. E. A. Laign	727 R. L. Conlee
47 Carl Duering	731 Melvin Parks
59 Harry E. Merrefield	751 Walter A. Johnson
65 I. E. Ball	783 M. D. Barnard
95 Robert M. Weeks	803 Martin Bolt
143 Charles O. Cleer	805 John L. Lowman
159 Geo. M. Johnson	827 C. A. Irwin
161 Fred F. Kasserman	835 Isaac Cravens
171 F. E. Perkins	873 Edward Robison
177 Harry M. Bilgue	877 O. W. Bray
187 Allan A. Myers	885
197 R. R. Franks	919 P. A. Moody
215 Wilkie Bruns	949 M. L. Kennedy
239 I. P. Hardacher	953 Harvey Turner
249 James Gouchenour	957 Ross Disuens
251 Frank Hart	985 Albert Slater
273 L. T. Clark	1015 John W. Largent
277 H. B. Cheek	13 R. L. Lacey
287 Chas. Beringer	527 A. S. Fleeman
343 P. M. McBride	997 Fred Wilson
367 Pat Phebus	1011 S. J. Donaldson
375 C. J. Skaggs	1015 John F. Adams
379 Chas. Winters	1033 J. N. Price
401 Carl Seitzinger	1037 John F. Sikyta
409 Edward Babcock	1041 Edw. R. Armitage
425 I. N. Clemens	99 W. G. White
441 W. W. Hooper	403 Harvey Fay
447 O. G. Clark	953 Earnest Lambert
453 P. L. Runyan	575 P. N. Mason
491 Elmer E. Hyatt	135 I. H. Ranibalt
497 J. S. Sipes	651 J. L. Brooks
521 Morris Goldstein	955 Frank Faught
525 T. D. Robison	633 A. L. Sinclair
531 J. W. Waters	923 Peter Clausen
555 Daniel Du Russell	889 L. M. King
641 James F. Shriver	753 O. T. Brandom
665 Victor Woolner	331 W. B. Sinn
675 N. F. Akers	913 Frank M. Kinkade
689 John Arnquist	615 John L. Regan
	471 August Opperman

325 Wm. Board	455 F. B. Carver
383 Fred J. Wendt	977 Frank S. Hart
6 R. B. Coomer	557 Harvey E. Gall
107 R. E. Vornkahl	483 W. S. Ross
667 R. M. Breaw	311 O. V. Wright
1013 P. J. Rowe	725 Rex James
337 O. W. Ginther	762 Isaac J. Vanvleet
709 J. M. Holderby	685 D. M. Miller
169 H. H. Leighty	241 Wm. Shrum
453 P. L. Rumyon	27 Chas. Wehmeier
925 I. B. Rodrick	889 John Krotz
121 W. R. Hart	431 W. H. Winters
321 Arthur Mason	989 J. S. Bennington
791 Ed Roberts	

Which was adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 3.

Third report by Brother J. D. Rowe, of No. 227.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Credentials would respectfully report as follows: That we have examined the credentials of the following named Past Grands and recommend that they be admitted to the Grand Lodge and receive the Grand Lodge degree:

31 R. A. Denny	39 H. A. Brooks
80 H. E. Beatty	39 J. W. Suggitt
1026 Edward O. Guyton	55 A. Ahlgrim
848 Robert Thompson	361 Alfred A. Norton
98 U. G. Davis	39 W. G. Kent
104 L. A. Motte	6 Jas. M. Alexander
485 Fred Brandt	22 Horace Dainton
825 T. H. Davies	166 John S. Fuller
432 John B. Baenzier	29 T. M. Thomas
330 John Benz	465 G. D. Nichols
239 Louis M. Staben	288 Chas. M. Schollian
90 Fred H. Rhodes	65 Orville M. Lowry
1004 Reinhart Aschenbrenner	465 W. B. Goldsby
848 Robt. Thompson	576 D. V. Horn
160 E. J. Clarke	648 Herman Meyer
39 L. F. Redfern	927 T. S. Jones
39 Lloyd Sperner	

Which was adopted.

Whereupon the Grand Master conferred the Grand Lodge Degree upon the brothers named in the foregoing reports.

The Grand Master also conferred the Past Grand's Degree.

GRAND OFFICERS' REPORTS.

GRAND MASTER

To the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the State of Illinois:

DEAR BROTHERS: In submitting my report to the Grand Lodge, may I first of all express to you my appreciation of the great honor you conferred upon me, and the confidence you reposed in me, when you placed in my hands the duties and responsibilities of the office of Grand Master.

OUR COUNTRY IN WAR.

When I took office I found our membership and our lodge organizations much disturbed owing to war conditions and also because of the fact that these conditions had brought about new situations which had to be met and solved promptly. Added to all this, much new legislation was enacted at the last session of the Grand Lodge and these new laws had to be put into operation by all of the lodges. Just how successfully the situation has been met must be left to others to determine.

STATE OF THE ORDER.

Many Brothers felt that the war would lay a heavy hand on our lodges, with the result that the lodges would have a tendency to run down, and that interest in lodge work would give place to war excitement.

I am glad to report to you that such has not been the case. The members generally have been quick to appreciate that this great organization of Americans could be made to play a very important part "back of the lines." For this reason, I believe more than for any other, interest has been well sustained in lodge work. The lodges, as a whole, have grown stronger, their financial condition has been improved, and the membership strengthened.

CREDIT TO THOSE TO WHOM CREDIT IS DUE.

This Order is blessed with many true and faithful workers, Brothers who can be depended upon to render full measure of service to their

lodges and the Order at all times. They are in no particular section of the state, but may be found everywhere. It is to these Brothers I wish to pay my profound respects and tender my thanks for the loyal support they have given me on every hand, not only making my load lighter, but my efforts successful where otherwise I must have failed completely.

ASSOCIATE GRAND OFFICERS.

I have enjoyed open, frank and pleasant relations with my associate Grand Officers during the year. To them, individually and collectively, I desire to extend my thanks for the many kindnesses shown me on all occasions.

OFFICIAL LETTERS.

Under date of Nov. 23, 1917, I issued my first official letter to the Order, as follows:

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES FOR 1918.

Elective Officers.

Name and Residence.	Lodge No.	Title.
H. M. Blood, 224 W. Huron St., Chicago	645.....	Grand Master
L. M. Kagy, Salem.....	114.....	Deputy Grand Master
John W. Birney, Bloomington.....	77.....	Grand Warden
John H. Sikes, Springfield.....	465.....	Grand Secretary
Melvin P. Berry, P.G.M., Carthage.....	412.....	Grand Treasurer
John J. Crowder, Peoria.....	21.....	Grand Representative
A. Otis Arnold, Quincy.....	12.....	Grand Representative

Appointive Officers.

Name and Residence.	Lodge No.	Title.
Rev. O. F. Jordan, Evanston.....	673.....	Grand Chaplain
Andrew G. Anderson, Chicago.....	812.....	Grand Marshal
C. Edwin Johnson, Paxton.....	418.....	Grand Conductor
E. A. Ridenour, Moline.....	133.....	Grand Guardian
A. L. Bone, Greenville.....	3.....	Grand Herald
Owen Scott, P.G.M., Decatur.....	186.....	Grand Instructor
Charles M. Hunt, 568 N. Larabee Ave., Chicago.....	11.....	Assistant Grand Instructor

Orphan's Home Directory.

Name and Residence.	Lodge No.	Term.
Wm. A. Hubbard, P.G.M., Carrollton	342.....	One year
Arthur G. Nauman, Chicago.....	540.....	Two years
Wm. H. Pease, P.G.M., Harvey....	80.....	Three years
John H. Steiner, Quincy.....	12.....	Four years
John J. Crowder, P.G.M., Peoria...	21.....	Five years

Rebekah Advisory Board.

Name	Residence	Term
Ellen O. Johnson, P.P.	Galesburg	One year
Sadie Carson	Rockford	Two years
Myrtle W. Tandy, P.P.	Jacksonville	Three years
Lura D. Latham, P.P.	Endorado	Four years
Arlene Legg	Mt. Carmel	Five years

Trustees Old Folks' Home.

Name and Residence	Lodge No.	Term
Harry G. Carmick, Centralia	112	One year
Chas. S. Harris, P.G.M., Galesburg	478	Two years
A. J. Mowrer, P.G.P., Eureka	211	Three years
John W. Yantis, P.G.M., Shelbyville	117	Four years
Chas. E. Boyer, Chicago	58	Five years

Rebekah Advisory Board.

Name	Residence	Term
Nettie L. Harris, P. P.	Chicago	One year
Grace A. Henry, P.P.	Sandwich	Two years
Mae E. Crowell, P.P.	Rockford	Three years
Lina D. Carlin, P.P.	Jerseyville	Four years
Cora Neff Phillips, P.P.	Bushnell	Five years

Trustees of Endowment Fund.

Name and Residence	Lodge No.	Term
F. D. P. Snelling, P.G.P., Chicago	201	One year
Geo. A. Anthony, Kewanee	123	Two years
E. S. Conway, P.G.S., Oak Park	217	Three years

Committee on Judiciary and Appeals.

Name and Residence	Lodge No.	Term
John W. Fline Jr., Wyoming	244	One year
W. E. P. Anderson, Carlinville	107	Two years
Warren C. Darnall, P.G.M., McLean	746	Three years
Owen Scott, P.G.M., Decatur	186	Four years
Chester M. Turner, P.G.P., Cambridge	190	Five years

Committee on Credentials.

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Edward H. Taylor	Chicago	717
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Frank P. Farmer	Mt. Vernon	13
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Rev. B. S. M. Edwards	Clayton	140
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J. Henry Debus	Chicago	540
O. H. Richards	Jerseyville	53
Willis Melville	Brookfield	633
Philip Reitz	Joliet	23
Fred C. Mayer	Chicago	325
W. B. Strang	Roodhouse	681
A. T. Roner	Chicago	505
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Dr. C. A. Robbins	Dixon	39
Frank Fucik	Chicago	630
D. R. McLaughlin	Paw Paw	570
R. M. Neustadt	La Salle	101
J. E. Johnson	Lexington	296
Henry Goldsmith	Chicago	55
Robert Clark	Chicago	722
J. B. Henning	De Kalb	155
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Committee on Mileage and Per Diem.

Name.	Residence.	Lodge No.
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Elmer E. Roberts.....	Ottawa	41
Walker W. Kerr.....	Orion	686
P. G. Stein.....	Jacksonville	4
Geo. W. Lemmers.....	Woodstock	60
M. C. Weaver.....	Champaign	333
W. N. Hill.....	Chicago	141
Frank Linn.....	Rockford	792
Morris Levitt.....	Chicago	1022
Rolla Jones.....	Bloomington	77
Thos. McLean.....	Rock Island.....	608
W. S. Foreman.....	Pittsfield	95
Geo. A. Piper.....	Cairo	224
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Committee on Railroads.

Name.	Residence.	Lodge No.
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L. M. Kagy.

Grand Master,
Salem.

SALUTATORY.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 23, 1917.

To the Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges, I. O. O. F. of Illinois:

In accordance with long established custom it becomes my duty and privilege to address to the lodges of Illinois my salutatory as your Grand Master.

First of all, I wish to express to you my appreciation of the high honor you have conferred upon me, and to assure you that it will be my chief aim to justify your judgment in this important matter.

While I do not expect to accomplish all things we might desire in the coming year, I do sincerely hope to be able to do some things well. Just how much I shall accomplish will depend upon the loyal and unselfish co-operation of the membership, for alone I can do but very little. I shall make unstinted sacrifice on my part, and shall expect the same sacrifice on the part of the membership everywhere, that we may not only hold our own through these troublesome times, but that we may be able to carry the banner of Odd Fellowship forward and plant it on advanced ground for the benefit of humanity.

Lodge Deputies.

That the machinery of our organization may be fully completed and set in motion at the very earliest moment, I enclose herewith blank certificate for your recommendation for Lodge Deputy. It is hardly necessary for me to call your attention to the importance of a good deputy. Upon the deputy depends largely the peace and harmony of the lodge. Select a Brother or Sister who will have your confidence and respect as to knowledge of the laws, and one who will cheerfully execute the instructions of the Grand Master. The Grand Master will appoint, with rare exceptions, the one you recommend for your Lodge Deputy, so if you do not have the best fitted member for this position the fault will lie with the lodge.

Appended hereto you will find a roster of the newly elected and appointed officers of the Grand Lodge as well as the committee appointments for the present term.

I shall take the liberty of addressing the lodges at frequent intervals during the coming year, discussing in each communication such subjects as seem most pressing at the moment. I trust these communications will be given proper consideration as soon as received. At this time I would admonish you to look well to filling the chairs in your lodge room with competent and efficient officers, and thus be in position to start the new year fully equipped for the work which confronts us in the immediate future.

Owing to the disturbed conditions it is imperative that we go about our work with stout hearts and willing hands, that we may be

the better able to overcome whatever difficulties beset our pathway. Let us not waste our time in small things, but devote our full energies to the main business in hand—the carrying forward the great work for which we are especially organized.

Fraternally yours,

H. M. BLOOD,
Grand Master.

SYNOPSIS OF LEGISLATION.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 20, 1917.

To the Officers and Members of Subordinate Lodges, I. O. O. F. of Illinois:

DEAR BROTHERS: Enclosed will be found a synopsis of the recent legislation affecting our lodges and membership. It is issued in this form for the purpose of especially attracting the attention of the officers and members, to the end that all may be fully advised of the changes in our laws.

1918 Code.

The issue of the 1918 Code will contain all of the amendments and changes in our laws to date. This Code will be off the press soon after January 1, 1918. Lodges should secure a supply as soon thereafter as possible. They will be supplied at the regular rate of twenty-five (25c) cents a copy.

The New Term.

Your Grand Master hopes that the officers about to be installed into office will especially prepare themselves for the duties of their respective offices. Under our laws all officers must prove their efficiency before installation, so they may be able to open and close the lodge without the use of the Ritual. The Noble Grand and Vice-Grand must know the unwritten work of the Order perfectly. The officers must be able to confer the degrees, even though the work is usually done by a degree staff. Efficient officers make for an efficient lodge and efficient lodges make an efficient Order. Lodge Deputies should see to it that all officers are amply qualified before they are installed into office, and this applies to appointive as well as elective officers.

Financial Secretaries.

Upon the Financial Secretary depends the financial success of the lodge. It is a business office and it is "business" to collect what is due the lodge. If members are not allowed to get into bad standing they will not be dropped for non-payment of dues. Now, as never before in

the history of the Order, must we look sharply after our finances. Our financial responsibility to our soldier members should prompt this, if nothing else. We must have the money in our treasuries before we can pay it out, and the calls for money caused by this terrible war will be almost without limit. Look well to your finances.

Harmony.

In the presence of the great responsibilities which confront us as Americans and Odd Fellows, we cannot afford to let personal preferences and small matters impede us in our work as patriotic citizens. We must not "fiddle while Rome burns." We cannot afford to "FUSS" among ourselves while there is so much to do in this mighty world struggle. If we harmoniously discharge the duties appertaining to the Order we will find ample time to serve our country, not only as individuals, but as a great patriotic Order. Make your lodge a center for fraternal work and patriotic service.

Wishing you unbounded prosperity for the New Year, I am,

Fraternally yours,

H. M. BLOOD,
Grand Master.

U. S. FUEL ADMINISTRATION.

I. O. O. F. Lodges Meeting on Monday.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 25, 1918.

To the Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges, I. O. O. F. of Illinois:

DEAR BROTHERS AND SISTERS: Whereas, the United States Fuel Commission has ordered the closing of a large number of buildings on Mondays for a limited space of time; and,

Whereas, Odd Fellowship is a law-abiding organization, and under our laws Subordinate Lodges must meet weekly for the transaction of business, the relief of distress, etc.;

Therefore, I, H. M. Blood, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the State of Illinois, hereby authorize all I. O. O. F. organizations in Illinois, meeting regularly on Mondays, to hold their meetings on any other week day during this prohibition for the transaction of business without further permission or dispensation. All Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges in Illinois will be governed accordingly.

Fraternally yours,

JNO. H. SIKES,
Grand Secretary.

H. M. BLOOD,
Grand Master.

EFFICIENCY.

Chicago, Ill., January, 1918.

DEAR BROTHERS: Last year, Grand Master A. Otis Arnold worked out a plan for giving special recognition to Noble Grands and Vice-Grands who fully qualified themselves for the position of presiding officers in Subordinate Lodges. It is the purpose of the present Grand Master to continue this plan, and accordingly a

Diploma Extraordinary

will be granted to Noble Grands and Vice Grands who can qualify as follows:

The Unwritten Work in the four Degrees.

The Opening and Closing Charges.

The Noble Grand's work in the Initiatory Degree, including all of his charges in that Degree.

The examination to be in open lodge and attested by the Secretary with seal, and the Deputy of the Lodge.

The object in selecting the Initiatory Degree for qualifying is that candidates must be initiated in the lodge to which they apply for membership, and competent Noble Grands assure to a large extent a proper initiation.

Rituals.

The Rituals should be regarded as text books in which the lectures and charges may be found, but they should not be exposed in the lodge room by the officers. If each officer will commit to memory the charge appertaining to his office, there will be no need for Rituals during a meeting or in conferring a Degree.

War Times.

Reports coming to the Grand Master indicate that lodges, as a whole, are doing splendid work. Some lodges are doing more work this winter than they have done in some time, while there are a few that have allowed themselves to slip. This is no time to sit down and brood over what "may happen." It is a time for action—intelligent and persistent.

There has never, in our history, been a time when membership in this Order was worth more than right now. Opportunity for service is on every hand. An active Odd Fellows lodge can be made to play a big part in these stirring times. Let the public know what we are doing for our soldier members; how we have prepared ourselves for whatever may happen. Explain how our Homes are financed and

managed. Give the kind of men you would be glad to associate with an opportunity to join you in the great work this Order is doing everywhere, and all of our lodges will prosper, for no fraternal organization stands to do more for Humanity right now than this Order.

Home Tax.

To this date not a single objection has been lodged with the Grand Master with reference to the new legislation concerning the Home tax. There has been some misunderstanding as to just when it was due, or just when it should be charged against the members, but the principle involved, wherein each member contributes a definite amount for the support of the Homes, has met with popular approval. It has been easy to see that the amount called for, 25 cents four times a year, brings more complete satisfaction, goes farther, does more real good, than double the amount spent in any other way on earth.

The membership should be fully advised concerning this Home tax law, so that those who do not attend the lodge regularly may know about it as well as those who hear it discussed and explained in lodge rooms.

Specially Prepared Letter.

Letters suitable to mail out to the membership of lodges explaining the new law governing the Home tax and the objects achieved have been prepared and printed in large quantity, and will be supplied to lodges at fifty cents per hundred copies, postage prepaid. I recommend that lodges take advantage of these circulars and secure a supply sufficient to mail to each member, which are furnished by the Grand Secretary.

Trusting that you will adopt for your motto for the year that "Nothing is good enough if there is anything better," I am,

Fraternally yours,

Attest:

JNO. H. SIKES,
Grand Secretary.

H. M. BLOOD,
Grand Master.

HALIFAX DISASTER.

Chicago, Ill., January 25, 1918.

To Subordinate Lodges, I. O. O. F. of Illinois:

DEAR BROTHERS: I have received the attached appeal for aid from the office of Frank C. Goudy, Grand Sire, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, which explains itself.

You will kindly have this appeal for aid read in your lodge, and render such assistance as you may desire, sending your remittance to Brother John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary, Springfield, Illinois.

The Grand Lodge has already forwarded one hundred dollars for immediate use.

Fraternally yours,

Attest:

JNO. H. SIKES,

Grand Secretary.

H. M. BLOOD,

Grand Master.

Office of

F. C. Goudy

Grand Sire

Independent Order of Odd Fellows

Denver, Colo., Jan. 15, 1918.

To All Odd Fellows:

Please read the following appeals of Grand Master Ryan of The Maritime Provinces and of Grand Representative Joseph Oliver for help in relieving the awful suffering and distress that came to our Brothers and their families in the Halifax disaster, and then promptly contribute such amount as you may be able to give.

The Sovereign Grand Lodge immediately sent \$1,000.00 and other branches of the Order \$5,000.00, but much more is needed.

Fraternally,

FRANK C. GOUDY,

Grand Sire.

(COPY.)

CHARLOTTETOWN, PRINCE EDWARD ISLANDS,

December 22, 1917.

To All Subordinate Lodges Throughout the Jurisdiction:

BROTHERS: In the great calamity that has recently caused such destruction of life and property in Halifax, our members have suffered heavily.

Immediately following the disaster an energetic committee was appointed to look after those of our members who had suffered. The efforts of this Committee, at first, were directed towards recovering the bodies of those killed, rendering aid to the injured, and seeing that accommodation was provided for the homeless.

The Committee is now endeavoring to prepare an estimate of losses, and my latest advices are that twenty-five members have been killed. Many others have lost members of their families, and the property loss is estimated at not less than \$150,000.00. Winter is upon us and many of the survivors will have to be assisted, not only through this winter, but for years to come. Money is urgently needed and I therefore appeal to you to contribute to the relief of our Brothers as liberally as you

possibly can without injury to yourself. Remember that: *He only is an Odd Fellow who has pity and mercy and who hastens to the relief of a Brother in distress.*

Trusting you will respond liberally to this appeal,

Yours fraternally,

GEO. S. RYAN,

Grand Master.

J. J. McKINNON,

Grand Secretary.

TORONTO, ONT., Jan. 8, 1918.

Western Union Telegram.

Hon. F. C. Goudy, Grand Sire I. O. O. F., Denver, Colo.:

Distress very bad in Halifax. It would be quite in order to make an appeal for assistance.

JOSEPH OLIVER,

Grand Representative.

TEAM WORK.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 12, 1918.

To the Deputies of Subordinate Lodges, I. O. O. F. of Illinois:

BROTHERS: This is a day and age of TEAM WORK. One person can accomplish but little if he works alone, but, if his efforts are combined and harmonized with those about him who are all desirous of accomplishing the same end, then much can be done for the benefit of all.

We have in this state but one Grand Master, but we have more than 900 Lodge Deputy Grand Masters. It is my desire that we may do team work during the year, the Grand Master and his Deputies working in perfect harmony, for we have much to do and cannot afford to divide our efforts.

I would ask each Lodge Deputy to call a council of the officers of his lodge at an early date and discuss the following subjects:

Has your membership increased or decreased during the past three years?

Has the balance in the hands of your Treasurer increased or decreased during the past three years?

Have you an Official Instructor in your lodge? Have you a well drilled Degree Staff?

Do you use Rituals during lodge meetings?

Are all your officers, elective and appointive, qualified in the work of their respective offices?

Will your By-Laws provide sufficient revenue to take care of all normal calls upon the lodge, and in addition furnish a sufficient surplus to provide for the care and comfort of returning soldiers, members of your lodge, if they be crippled or unable to make a livelihood for themselves?

The foregoing, and many more vital questions, should be talked over, that you may know the exact facts as they exist in your respective lodges.

"Know the Truth, and the Truth shall make you strong."

If you find you have weak places in your lodges, strengthen them before it is too late. If your By-Laws do not provide sufficient revenue, or you are paying out money faster than you are taking it in, amend your laws, so as to correct this **BEFORE** you swamp your treasury.

Please convey to the membership of the various lodges the following directions to the Lodge Deputies:

Because it is imperative that we insist upon efficiency in our lodges if we may hope to make proper progress during these stirring times, Lodge Deputies will not be permitted to install into office any officers, either elective or appointive, who have not demonstrated their ability to fill their respective offices in a proper manner, by first committing to memory the opening and closing charges, and, in the case of the Noble Grand and Vice-Grand, the unwritten work of a Subordinate Lodge as well, **WITHOUT DIRECT PERMISSION OF THE GRAND MASTER.**

This instruction to Deputies will apply July first, at the installation of officers for the next term, and is given you this early that all the Brothers as well as the Deputies may have ample warning and prepare themselves accordingly.

Brothers expecting to take office July first, or those who expect to be promoted to a higher office, should waste no time in preparing themselves that they may be able to qualify before July first, 1918.

We must have efficiency everywhere, and especially in those charged with responsibility in the lodges, and right now is the time to begin.

You will either read this letter yourself, or have it read at the next meeting of your lodge.

Fraternally yours,

H. M. BLOOD,
Grand Master.

SPURIOUS RITUALS.

Chicago, Ill., March 25, 1918.

To Subordinate Lodges, I. O. O. F. of Illinois:

BROTHERS: It becomes my duty as Grand Master to warn the membership against violation of the Sovereign Grand Lodge law with reference to the purchase, or even the possession, of *spurious* rituals, or printed or written books or circulars purporting to be the work of the Subordinate Lodges. This law is very strict, and conviction means expulsion from the order.

I append hereto the exact law, being Sections 908-909, Sovereign Grand Lodge Code, 1915:

Sec. 908. Use of Spurious Written or Unwritten Work. Neither the Subordinate bodies of the Order, nor the members thereof, shall be permitted to use or have in their possession any book, pamphlet, manuscript, or document, purporting to be the written or unwritten work of the Order, nor shall any Subordinate body or member of the Order compose, write, print, sell, exhibit or cause to be composed, written, printed, sold or exhibited, or aid or abet in composing, writing, printing, selling or exhibiting any publication, writing or device purporting to be the written or unwritten work of the Order. Any Subordinate body of the Order violating the provisions of this section shall be deprived of its charter and any member shall be expelled.

Sec. 909. Writing or Copying Charges, Lectures, Etc. No member of the Order shall write, print or copy any of the lectures, charges or instructions contained in the ritual of any branch of the Order, nor shall any member or members of the Order make any drawing, photograph, or other representation of the ritualistic characters portrayed in the rituals, or manufacture or sell the same.

Keep the Home Fires Burning.

Home Lodge No. 416, of Chicago, recently issued a circular and mailed it to the lodges, urging that lodges and members keep up frequent correspondence with their Brothers in the army and navy; that they keep these absent Brothers advised of the "doings" of their Lodge, and, if possible, send them one or more of the fraternal papers.

I heartily approve of this suggestion, and I trust that the "boys" who are serving their country will not be permitted to get out of touch altogether with their lodges, and their lodges get out of touch with their soldier members.

Write frequently to your soldier "boys"—it will make you feel just as good to write as it will them to receive your letters.

Fraternally yours,

Attest:

JNO. H. SIKES,

Grand Secretary.

H. M. BLOOD,

Grand Master.

1819—ANNIVERSARY PROCLAMATION—1918.

Chicago, Ill., March 11, 1918.

To Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges, I. O. O. F. of Illinois—Greetings:

DEAR SISTERS AND BROTHERS: The Independent Order of Odd Fellows was established in the city of Baltimore, April 26, 1819, and on April 26, 1918, we will celebrate our ninety-ninth anniversary.

The ninety-nine years last passed have been wonderful years, not only in Odd Fellowship, but in the history of our country. During all these years Odd Fellowship has played a big part in the lives of hundreds of thousands of men and women in America, and also its teachings have gone out and beyond the limits of our country on this continent and across the seas.

Odd Fellowship, in its usefulness to humanity, is today worth more than at any other time in its splendid history. It defends the right and condemns the wrong. Its loyalty to the Government under which it exists is never questioned. It is an American institution and stands for American ideals.

Odd Fellowship will begin the last year of its first century a mighty power for good. Its field of usefulness was never wider, its ability to render worth-while service never greater.

The Grand Sire of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, Frank C. Goudy, has issued proclamation to the Order enjoining upon all Grand and Subordinate bodies to take appropriate action for the celebration of the ninety-ninth anniversary of the Order, on the 26th day of April, 1918, by arranging suitable exercises.

Now, therefore, I, H. M. Blood, Grand Master of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Illinois, by virtue of the power and authority in me vested, do request and direct that all Subordinate bodies in this jurisdiction make plans for and carry out the spirit of the Grand Sire's proclamation with appropriate exercises on the anniversary of our Order, April 26th, or at some other near date which may be more convenient to the membership.

In the celebration of our anniversary date, we should be mindful of the many blessings we have enjoyed, and be grateful for the All Wise Guidance which has carried us safely through to the present day. We should dedicate our lives anew to the great principles for which our Order stands, keeping ever and always in sight the Golden Rule.

All lodges celebrating the anniversary of our Order according to this proclamation are hereby granted dispensation to wear the regalia of the Order upon this occasion.

Sincerely and fraternally yours,

Attest:

JNO. H. SIKES,

Grand Secretary.

H. M. BLOOD,

Grand Master.

WORLD WIDE WAR.

Chicago, Ill., April 15, 1918.

To Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges, I. O. O. F.—Greeting:

Our country is now in the midst of a great war. Good citizenship requires that every organization as well as every individual shall

cheerfully comply with all laws, rules and regulations adopted and promulgated by our Government for the benefit of the whole people.

The Independent Order of Odd Fellows is an American organization, born and grown to its present proportion under the protection of the Stars and Stripes, and as evidence of our faithfulness I call your attention to the following rulings:

Change of Time.

The regulation of time as now fixed shall govern all lodges in so far as it applies to By-Laws fixing the opening hour for meetings. Lodges desiring to meet at a later hour are required to change their By-Laws to suit their convenience; that is to say, if eight p. m. is now by By-Law the opening hour, and the members desire to meet one hour later (by sun time) they must change their By-Laws to read nine p. m., instead of eight p. m.

Investment of Lodge Funds.

Wherever the By-Laws of local lodges provide that surplus funds shall be invested only in certain specified securities, real estate mortgages, or savings accounts in banks, they must not be interpreted so as to exclude such bonds as the Government of the United States may offer to the public, as "War or Liberty Loans." Liberty Loan Bonds must be regarded as proper and ample security for the lodges, the By-Laws to the contrary notwithstanding.

Training Camps.

Enclosed herewith is a card giving the name and address of the representative at Camp Grant, Rockford, and also at the Great Lakes Training Station near Waukegan. File this card carefully for reference when you wish to reach members of your lodge in training at either Camp Grant or Great Lakes Training Station, Illinois.

Fraternally yours,

Attest:

JNO. H. SIKES,
Grand Secretary.

H. M. BLOOD,
Grand Master.

MEMORIAL DAY PROCLAMATION.

Chicago, Ill., May 1, 1918.

To the Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges, I. O. O. F. of Illinois—Greetings:

Following a long established custom, the Grand Sire of the Sovereign Lodge, Frank C. Goudy, has issued a proclamation naming Tuesday,

June 11, 1918, as Memorial Day, and has called upon all members of the Order to so observe that date, or as near the same as may be convenient.

Now, therefore, I, H. M. Blood, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Illinois, do most earnestly request and direct that all Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges of Illinois arrange for suitable and appropriate services to be held on Tuesday, June 11, 1918, or at some near date, which may be more convenient, in loving memory of our departed Sisters and Brothers.

A general dispensation is granted to all Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges in Illinois to wear the regalia of the Order at said memorial services.

Done in the city of Chicago, May 1, 1918, and in the year of our Order the one hundredth.

Fraternally yours,

Attest:

JNO. H. SIKES,
Grand Secretary.

H. M. BLOOD,
Grand Master.

DEPUTIES.

Chicago, Ill., May 3, 1918.

To the Deputies, Subordinate Lodges, I. O. O. F. of Illinois:

BRETHREN: Under date of February 12, 1918, I sent you a letter calling attention to the necessity of high efficiency in our lodges, and directed that you either read that letter or cause it to be read to your lodge, that the brethren might have ample time in which to prepare for the term beginning July first.

On the first meeting night in June, election of officers will be held throughout the jurisdiction, and I again call your attention to the necessity of selecting and electing only such Brothers who will be able to fully qualify for the office they aspire to fill.

All officers, elective or appointive, should have committed to memory the opening and closing charges of their respective offices prior to installation.

The Noble and Vice Grands, in addition to the opening and closing charges, should have perfectly committed to memory the unwritten work of the four degrees of a Subordinate Lodge.

Examinations may be either private or in open lodge, and should be conducted by or under the direction of the Lodge Deputy.

Exceptions.

If it should be necessary to fill a vacancy caused by death, resignation or removal, then election and installation may be held on "Installation Night," and such officer or officers may be installed with-

out examination as to his qualifications, with the understanding that he, or they, will properly qualify within sixty days from date of installation.

In the event that any officer elected cannot qualify for his office, and the lodge cannot fill the office with a Brother who is amply qualified, then, upon written request of the Lodge Deputy, giving name and number of lodge, office to be filled and name of Brother elected and unable to qualify, special instructions will be given to the Deputy in each case. Deputies will not install any officer, elective or appointive, contrary to the foregoing.

Fraternally yours,

Attest:

JNO. H. SIKES,

Grand Secretary.

H. M. BLOOD,

Grand Master.

A NEW TERM.

Chicago, Ill., June 12, 1918.

Officers and Members Subordinate Lodges, I. O. O. F.—Greeting:

July first will begin a new term in our Subordinate Lodges in this state. Whatever the record for the past term may be, it is about to pass into history, and we now face the problems which the next six months may have in store for us as an Order. That we may be equipped to face these problems without fear of the results, I have urged that the responsible officers fully equip themselves for the duties incumbent upon them. I feel confident that a very large majority of our Subordinate Lodges will be officered by Brothers who realize that it is a great honor to have been chosen as officers and have prepared themselves so as to be able to discharge the duties of their respective offices in a manner which will reflect credit upon themselves, the lodge, and the whole Order.

Law and Order.

There seems to be a tendency to ignore the laws of the state and of the country, and to attempt to regulate certain affairs and punish alleged transgressions through the medium of mob law. A man was hanged in Collinsville by a mob which claimed the victim was "disloyal." A jury, still having in mind that "mob," failed to convict. There are many cases of "mob justice" in Illinois, recorded in recent weeks, but of less serious consequences.

I trust that our Odd Fellows Lodges, located, as they are, in every city and village throughout the state, will make it their special business to discourage the breaking of laws by the LOYAL, as well as by the disloyal, for the rigid enforcement of all of our laws, and obedience to law by all of our people, is essential if there is to be any measure of

safety for anyone. Let the Odd Fellows stand on the side of LAW and ORDER with the President and the Governor of our state.

Summer Picnics.

The summer months suggest picnics and out-door social affairs. Each Lodge should make arrangements for at least one picnic. Let the program be strongly patriotic. Let there be "something to eat," but no waste of food. Just enough and no more, keeping in mind that it would be just as unpatriotic to waste food at a picnic as at home.

Soldier Members.

Under the recent action of the Grand Lodge, Subordinate Lodges will be reimbursed to the extent of \$3.00 per week for sick benefits, and \$50.00 for death benefits, for soldier members of the Order who are sick or die while in the service of the country. But this law also requires that there shall be a record of this membership in the hands of the Grand Secretary so that the same may be checked with the claim made by the lodge, and this information must be furnished in advance by the lodge secretary. The Grand Secretary informs me that the Secretaries have been slow in sending in the records required, and, therefore, there will be a delay in reimbursing lodges for these benefits.

I urge upon the Secretaries to get in the information required under the law of the Grand Lodge, so that there may be no undue delay in reimbursing the lodges for money paid to their sick members who are in the service. Get the information just as complete as possible and forward it to Grand Secretary John H. Sikes, Springfield, Illinois. Keep this record up from time to time as your members are called to the army or navy.

Diploma Extraordinary.

The Grand Master is desirous that as many of our Noble Grands and Vice-Grands as are qualified shall receive a Diploma Extraordinary as a testimonial of their efficiency. I trust that a large number of the new Noble Grands and Vice-Grands will be able to receive these diplomas at an early date.

Alfred A. Norton, No. 361, Member Judiciary and Appeals Committee.

On June 3, 1918, I appointed Brother Alfred A. Norton, Past Grand, member of John Ericsson Lodge, No. 361, to fill the vacancy on the Judiciary and Appeals Committee, caused by the death of Brother Chester M. Turner, of Cambridge.

Brother Norton is a lawyer of high standing and is a member of John Ericsson Lodge; his record in that lodge is of a very high character, and I am confident that Brother Norton will render efficient service on this important committee.

Our Country.

Finally, I would try to impress upon the membership that we can best serve the country by keeping our Order up to full strength and activity and that this can only be done by efficiency, loyalty and usefulness. We must do all the work which would come to our hands in peace times and in addition render such assistance as becomes an Order claiming to be an American institution and one of the greatest fraternal organizations in the world.

Sincerely and fraternally,

Attest:

JNO. H. SIKES,

Grand Secretary.

H. M. BLOOD,

Grand Master.

MY FELLOW COUNTRYMEN.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 1, 1918.

To the Subordinate Lodges, I. O. O. F. of Illinois:

OFFICERS AND BROTHERS: Herewith I send you a copy of President Wilson's address, headed "My Fellow Countrymen," which you are urged to post in your lodge room after reading, so that it may be kept constantly in mind.

With our great membership of patriotic and law-abiding citizens spread out over the whole state, with one thousand lodges located in almost every city and village, we can, and should, take a very decided stand on the side of law and order, everywhere and under all circumstances.

We should in no case presume to "take the law into our own hands," nor attempt to supplant the functions of regularly constituted authority, but we should let it be known in no uncertain way that the members of the Odd Fellows lodges stand ready, night or day, to support the local and state authorities in the maintenance of order, and the enforcement of obedience to the law, ever remembering that mobs are as much an enemy of democracy as the forces fighting us in the enemy lines.

That the stand taken by Odd Fellows on law enforcement may be made known, I suggest that the lodges throughout the state, and especially where there are only one or two lodges in a community, adopt a resolution similar to the following, and have it published in the local press:

WHEREAS, The President of our country has called attention to a tendency on the part of some thoughtless people to encourage mob law; and,

WHEREAS, Mobs never correct wrongs, never enforce law, but are law-breakers themselves; and,

WHEREAS, We are opposed to lawlessness of whatever nature; therefore be it

Resolved, That.....Lodge, No....., Independent Order of Odd Fellows, of....., will co-operate actively and watchfully with the constituted authorities, local and state, to the end that the good name of our community shall not be violated by mobs, no matter what excuse may be offered; and, further,

Resolved, That the members of this lodge, singly and collectively, tender their services to the authorities and stand ready to respond instantly in the support of law enforcement and the discouragement of mobs in attempting to supplant constitutional authority, the very foundation of our civil liberty.

Signed.....,

Secretary.

We can claim but a puny loyalty if we fail to maintain order at home while our young men are making supreme sacrifices for the very principles of self government that mobs would destroy.

My Brothers, I ask you to make your lodge a rallying place for service—a very real service in this time of national stress. We should not neglect any of the obligations we owe to our Brothers, or their families, but we must reach out beyond the limits of a narrow interpretation of our duties and obligations, and render unstinted service to our common country, for there is nothing so important as that we keep the machinery of the government going smoothly at home while our invincible military forces WIN THIS WAR in France.

Prompt action on the part of your lodge in this important matter may be the means of discouraging any tendency towards disorder in your community, now or later.

Fraternally yours.

H. M. BLOOD,

Grand Master.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 1, 1918.

(Post in the Lodge Room)

(Issued by the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. of Illinois)

THE PRESIDENT

To the People of the United States.

A TIMELY WARNING AS TO THE FRUITS OF LAWLESSNESS.

"My Fellow Countrymen: I take the liberty of addressing you upon a subject which so vitally affects the honor of the nation and the

very character and integrity of our institutions that I trust you will think me justified in speaking very plainly about it. I allude to the mob spirit which has recently here and there very frequently shown its head among us, not in any single region, but in many and widely separated parts of the country. There have been many lynchings, and every one of them has been a blow at the heart of ordered law and humane justice.

"No man who loves America, no man who really cares for her fame and honor and character, or who is truly loyal to her institutions, can justify mob action while the courts of justice are open and the governments of the states and the nation are ready and able to do their duty.

"We are at this very moment fighting lawless passion. Germany has outlawed herself among the nations because she has disregarded the sacred obligations of law and has made lynchers of her armies. Lynchers emulate her disgraceful example. I, for my part, am anxious to see every community in America rise above that level with pride and a fixed resolution which no man or set of men can afford to despise.

"Betrayers of Democracy."

"We proudly claim to be the champions of democracy. If we really are, in deed and in truth, let us see to it that we do not discredit our own. I say plainly that every American who takes part in the action of a mob or gives any sort of countenance is no true son of this great democracy, but its betrayer, and does more to discredit her by that single disloyalty to her standards of law and of right than the words of her statesmen or the sacrifices of her heroic boys in the trenches can do to make suffering peoples believe her to be their savior.

"How shall we commend democracy to the acceptance of other peoples if we disgrace our own by proving that it is, after all, no protection to the weak? Every mob contributes to German lies about the United States what her most gifted liars cannot improve upon by the way of calumny. They can at least say that such things cannot happen in Germany except in times of revolution, when law is swept away.

"I therefore very earnestly and solemnly beg that the governors of all the states, the law officers of every community, and, above all, the men and women of every community in the United States—all who revere America and wish to keep her name without stain or reproach—will co-operate, not passively merely, but actively and watchfully, to make an end of this disgraceful evil. It cannot live where the community does not countenance it.

"U. S. War Spirit Thrills World."

"I have called upon the nation to put its great energy into this war and it has responded—responded with a spirit and a genius for action that has thrilled the world. I now call upon it, upon its men and women everywhere, to see to it that its laws are kept inviolate, its fame untarnished. Let us show our utter contempt for the things that have made this war hideous among the wars of history by showing how those who love liberty and right and justice and are willing to lay down their lives for them upon foreign fields stand ready also to illustrate to all mankind their loyalty to the things at home which they wish to see established everywhere as a blessing and protection to the peoples who have never known the privileges of liberty and self-government.

"I can never accept any man as a champion of liberty, either for ourselves or for the world, who does not reverence and obey the laws of our own beloved land, whose laws we ourselves have made. He has adopted the standards of the enemies of his country, whom he affects to despise.

"WOODROW WILSON."

(Read it again—Forget it not)

U. S. BONDS.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 28, 1918.

To Subordinate Lodges, I. O. O. F., Illinois—Greeting:

It is proper that, in common with all other organizations in which Americans are interested, we should promptly render every possible aid in the sale of the Fourth Liberty Bonds offered at this time by our government. We have almost one thousand local organizations which we call lodges, scattered throughout Illinois, and I suggest to you that you make use of your lodges at this time in promoting the sale of these bonds.

Liberty Bond Proper Investment.

It is proper, and I urge the subordinate lodges of this state to invest such surplus funds as they may have on hand in Liberty Bonds. If the security behind the Liberty Bond is not ample, then nothing is safe, for all of the people of the United States, together with the combined wealth of the nation, is endorsed thereon and when such security fails it will make little difference what happens, because nothing will matter then.

Discuss this Fourth Liberty Loan in your meetings, see that every member does his full share according to his means, and, wherever and whenever your lodge room can be made use of for public meetings in

the interest of this war, you will need no special dispensation to allow you to use it, whether the meeting be conducted by Odd Fellows or any other reputable organization.

Food Conservation.

Our Illinois lodges have open to them a great opportunity for service in spreading the doctrine of Food Conservation. We are holding regular meetings once a week all over the state. In our lodge rooms are symbolized, on our service flag, seven thousand Odd Fellows who are in the uniform of the army and navy. In view of the fact that these soldier members are giving their ALL, we who are left at home can, and will, cheerfully do our part.

It is better to consume JUST ENOUGH FOOD NOW than to fail to have enough later.

The fighting men, our own and our allies', must have plenty of food, and those who do not fight must see to it that they get it.

In all of the history of our Order, there never was such opportunity for service to humanity. Our lodges are doing a great deal and must do still more. I urge you to take advantage of the fall season to strengthen the lodges in all directions, that we may be able to overcome all difficulties and triumph at last.

Fraternally yours,

Attest:

JNO. H. SIKES,

Grand Secretary.

H. M. BLOOD,

Grand Master.

SPANISH INFLUENZA.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 14, 1918.

*To the Officers and Members of Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges.
 I. O. O. F. of Illinois—Greeting:*

In view of the spread of the Spanish influenza, with its high death rate, all Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges of Illinois are hereby directed that, wherever the local Health Board shall deem it in the interest of public health that meetings of every nature be suspended, the lodges of this Order will comply immediately without further instructions from the Grand Master, and suspend the holding of lodge meetings until such time as the local authorities deem it safe.

Further: Lodges having members on their sick list, who are not afflicted with the influenza, will visit them as under ordinary circumstances, but, in case the sickness shall be regarded as influenza, then visitation shall be suspended until such time as attending physician shall approve the same.

Benefits accruing on account of sickness, if distress shall be apparent, may be advanced by authority of the Noble Grand and the recom-

mendation of the Visiting Committee and the approval of the elective officers; the same to be regularly approved in open lodge at its first regular meeting. If there is no immediate distress in the case of Brothers on the sick list, then such benefits may accrue and be allowed at the next regular meeting.

In the interest of public health the lodges of this Jurisdiction will co-operate fully and be guided entirely by the local Health Officers in the exercise of their authority governing such matters.

Fraternally yours, .

Attest:

JNO. H. SIKES,
Grand Secretary.

H. M. BLOOD,
Grand Master.

FINANCES.

Subordinate Lodges.

Legislation enacted at the 1917 session of the Grand Lodge has worked out in a most satisfactory manner. The raising of the minimum dues from seven to ten cents per week had the effect of at once strengthening the Subordinate Lodges which had not already provided by law for a higher rate. Then, also, the Homes dues of one dollar per member placed the support of our Homes on a sound financial basis and at the same time left a like amount in the treasuries of the lodges.

If we were living in normal times it would seem as if we were so fixed that we would need no further legislation of a financial nature. But we are not living in normal times—we are living in abnormal times, and, what is more, the end is not in sight.

At this writing but few of the thousands of our members who are now in the army and navy have been returned to their homes—discharged on account of disabilities. We fully realize, however, that, of the thousands now under arms and thousands more who will soon be called to arms, many, in the nature of things, will be discharged as permanently disabled.

The question now presents itself and demands an answer:

What provision are we going to make for those of our members who have given so much to humanity and by reason of their loyal service to our country are unable to provide for themselves?

It seems to me that we would be short-sighted indeed if we waited until we are faced with the inevitable before we gave thoughtful consideration to providing ways and means to guarantee that no Odd Fellow belonging to a lodge in Illinois, big or small, shall become an object of public charity.

It is not my purpose to do more than to call your attention to this important subject that the Grand Lodge, in its wisdom, may take appropriate action.

Subordinate Lodges must also give the subject of disabled and discharged soldiers immediate attention. By-Laws should be carefully considered with this end in view. Weekly benefits should be scaled down nearly to the minimum point, so as to leave as much money as possible in the lodge treasuries for the heavy calls which will be made upon them. It should be kept constantly in mind that we are likely to be faced with the care of many of our members who will be without any means of support, and are wholly unfitted to perform manual labor by reason of the loss of their legs, arms, eyesight, or are otherwise crippled for life.

The strong lodges will have to help the weak to bear the extra financial burdens, and the Order must stand as a single organization in the care of our soldier members who are no longer able to care for themselves.

No lodge should pay benefits for a period longer than fifty-two weeks.

No lodge, under any circumstances, should pay, as benefits per week, an amount greater than one-half of the annual dues.

No Odd Fellow should complain if his lodge reduces his benefits to the minimum so that the returned heroes of this awful war may be reasonably and fraternally cared for. What is a few weeks' sickness as compared to the one who will never walk, feed himself, or see the light of day again?

I trust this session will not close until this most important subject is thoroughly discussed and action of some kind enacted into law whereby it shall be made impossible to ever find an Odd Fellow, who has discharged his full duty to his country, in an almshouse or suffering for the necessities of life.

NEW SUBORDINATE LODGES.

During the year I issued dispensations for the institution of Subordinate Lodges as listed below:

No.	Name.	Location.	County.	Date.	Deputy.
1037	Karel Havlicek....	Chicago	Cook	Jan. 8, 1918	Jno. F. Sikyta
1039	Kincaid	Kincaid	Christian ...	Dec. 17, 1917	Russell Price
1040	R. W. S. Wheatley	Frankfort			
		Heights ..	Franklin	Apr. 24, 1918	A. F. Holmes
1041	Portage Park.....	Chicago	Cook	May 4, 1918	C. M. Hunt
272	Plzen	Chicago	Cook	Oct. 9, 1918	H. M. Blood

SUBORDINATE LODGES CLOSED.

265	White Heath.....	White Heath.	Platt Co.....	March 27, 1918	
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SUBORDINATE LODGES CONSOLIDATED.

Dispensations were issued during the year for the consolidation of the following lodges:

New Hartford Lodge No. 422, located at New Hartford, in Pike County, and Rockport Lodge No. 941, located at Rockport, in Pike County, consolidated Dec. 1, 1917, by Brother P. C. Elsey, acting as Deputy, under the name and number of Rockport Lodge No. 941, located at Rockport, in Pike County, Ill.

Paul Lodge No. 691, located at Elgin, and Kane Lodge No. 47, located at Elgin, in Kane County, were consolidated Jan. 8, 1918, by Brother J. H. Bumsted, acting as Deputy, under the name and number of Kane Lodge No. 47, located at Elgin, Ill.

Bushnell Lodge No. 322 of Bushnell, and Walnut Grove Lodge No. 950, located at Walnut Grove, both in McDonough County, were consolidated April 23, 1918, by Brother Edgar J. Byars, acting as Deputy, under the name and number of Bushnell Lodge No. 322, located at Bushnell, Ill.

Henning Lodge, No. 907, located at Henning, and North Fork Lodge No. 245, located at Rossville, both in Vermilion County, were consolidated Aug. 11, 1918, by Brother Arthur Mason, acting as Deputy, under the name and number of North Fork Lodge No. 245, located at Rossville, Ill.

Chebanse Lodge No. 924, located at Chebanse, in Iroquois County, and Howard Lodge No. 218, located at Kankakee, in Kankakee County, were consolidated by Brother J. H. Hinderer, acting as Deputy, under the name and number of Howard Lodge No. 218, located at Kankakee, Ill.

Edina Lodge No. 391, located at Streator, in La Salle County, and Beethoven Lodge No. 474, located at Streator, in La Salle County, were consolidated Oct. 1, 1918, by Brother Frank S. Welshans, acting as Deputy, under the name of Edina Lodge No. 391, located at Streator, Ill.

Waubonsie Lodge No. 45, located at Aurora, in Kane County, and Argus Lodge No. 514, located at Montgomery, in Kane County, were consolidated October 12th by Brother Clarence L. Valentine, acting as Deputy, under the name of Waubonsie Lodge No. 45, located at Aurora, Ill.

CHANGE OF NAME.

Feuerbach Lodge No. 499, located at Danville, in Vermilion County, changed its name from Feuerbach Lodge to Federal Lodge No. 499, and also agreed that it work in the English language.

Brookport Lodge No. 621, located at Unionville, in Massac County, changed its name to Unionville, and the lodge is now known as Unionville Lodge No. 621, located at Unionville.

Tentonia Lodge No. 166, located at Springfield, in Sangamon County, changed its name to Capital City Lodge No. 166.

LOSS BY FIRE.

Bible Grove Lodge No. 273, located at Bible Grove, in Clay County, reported its loss by fire on Dec. 18, 1917, and a duplicate charter was issued to them Dec. 20, 1918.

Watson Lodge No. 321, located at Watson, in Effingham County, reported the loss of its lodge room effects by fire on May 9, 1918, and a duplicate charter was issued. The building, paraphernalia and other effects were covered partially by insurance.

Flat Rock Lodge No. 401, located at Flat Rock, in Crawford County, reported its loss by fire Nov. 24, 1918, and a duplicate charter was issued. The lodge reports that everything was burned.

Humboldt Park Lodge No. 658, located at Chicago, in Cook County, reported loss by fire on March 22, 1918, and a duplicate charter was issued.

Bogota Lodge No. 807, located at Bogota, in Jasper County, reported the loss by fire of lodge paraphernalia, etc., Nov. 28, 1917, and a duplicate charter was issued. Everything was reported lost.

Emington Lodge No. 994, located at Emington, in Livingston County, reported the loss of its effects, etc., by fire Dec. 14, 1917, and duplicate charter has been issued.

EXPELLED MEMBERS REINSTATED.

I have approved the reinstatement of the following expelled members:

No.	Lodge.	Name.
949	Beechwood	Mark L. Kennedy
131	Tilton	Chas. Cox
38	Erie	F. A. Keeling
510	Anchor	P. R. Stroyan
789	Egypt	J. F. Newsome
104	Prairie State	Leonard P. King
885	Sampson	F. Valentine
639	Brighton Park	Harry B. Chase

NEW REBEKAH LODGES.

During the year I issued dispensations for the institution of the lodges listed below:

No.	Name.	Location.	County.	Date.	Deputy.
813	Praha	Chicago	Cook	Jan. 29, 1918	Effie S. Fucik
814	Janesville	Janesville	Coles	Feb. 14, 1918	Mrs. Mattie Joplin
815	Auburn	Auburn Park	Cook	Feb. 7, 1914	Dora Lionberger
		Chicago	Cook	May 25, 1918	Nellie L. Harris,
					P. P.
816	Julie Havlicek	Ewing	Franklin	May 30, 1918	Marie Wesley
817	Ewing	Waggoner	Montgomery	May 30, 1918	Mrs. Anna Smith
818	Waggoner	Chicago	Cook	June 15, 1918	Mrs. Ida E. G.
819	Portage Park				Sherman, Warden

Dispensations were issued during the year for the consolidation of the following Rebekah lodges:

J. S. Carr, Rebekah Lodge No. 241, located at Monmouth, in Warren County, and Monmouth Rebekah Lodge No. 128, located at Monmouth, in Warren County, were consolidated by Sister Dungan. Feb. 22, 1917, under the name and number of Monmouth Rebekah Lodge No. 128, located at Monmouth, Ill.

REBEKAH LODGES CLOSED.

Bee Hive Rebekah Lodge No. 216, located at Dietrich, in Effingham County, was closed by Sister Lena Buckmaster, Nov. 19, 1917.

Westville Rebekah Lodge No. 327, located at Westville, in Vermilion County, was closed by Sister Irene W. Cooper, President, Feb. 13, 1918, and all records, etc., were forwarded to the Grand Secretary, John H. Sikes.

Hickory Grove Rebekah Lodge No. 611, located at Palermo, in Edgar County, was closed Nov. 13, 1917, by Sister Cora Neff Phillips, P. P.

Welcome Home Rebekah Lodge No. 617, located at Willisville, in Perry County, was closed by Sister Lottie D. Scherrer, Vice-President, July 29, 1918, and \$22.34 together with effects were sent to the Grand Secretary, John H. Sikes.

Norton Rebekah Lodge No. 655, located at Reddick, in Kankakee County, was closed Jan. 23, 1918.

Mt. Zion Rebekah Lodge No. 98, located at Mt. Zion, in Macon County, was closed Aug. 10, 1918, by Sister Irene W. Cooper.

Unique Rebekah Lodge No. 450, located at Arrowsmith, in McLean County, was closed Sept. 23, 1918, by Sister Irene W. Cooper.

LOSS BY FIRE.

Flat Rock Rebekah Lodge No. 683, located at Flat Rock, in Crawford County, reported the loss of records, etc., by fire Dec. 5, 1917, and a duplicate charter was issued.

CHANGE OF NAME.

First Swedish Rebekah Lodge No. 124, located at Chicago, in Cook County, changed its name to North Shore Rebekah Lodge No. 124.

EFFICIENCY.

It will be noted in my letter dated Feb. 12, as well as the one dated May 3, that I called the attention of the Lodge Deputies to the law requiring that officers of Subordinate Lodges be qualified in the Un-

written Work, Opening and Closing Ceremony, and the Lectures and Charges of the four Degrees. In the May 3d letter, I enclosed a report blank for the deputies to fill out and return to me. As these reports were received, I arranged them by counties and made an abstract which I will submit to the Grand Lodge during the session.

While this report is far better than I expected, still I would not feel that I had discharged my full duty to the Order if I failed to find some solution whereby a still better showing can be made during the terms to follow.

I believe that, first of all, we should amend our scheme of organization so as to assist the Subordinate Lodges in the spread of the doctrine of efficiency. Experience teaches us that the natural tendency of all things is BACKWARD. No matter how well the soil of a garden may be prepared in the springtime and the best of seeds planted, the harvest will be disappointing unless constant care and attention is given it. A house may be built of substantial materials, and stand upon a solid foundation, but, unless care and attention is given it from time to time, it will soon begin to show the "backward tendency," and finally become uninhabitable. So it is with our lodges and our Order. Both require constant attention or both will finally take the backward route.

In my judgment no better method can be found to create and hold interest than competent officers conducting the business of the lodge which just naturally leads to that next essential—good Degree work. With incompetent or indifferent officers it cannot be hoped to maintain a competent Degree Staff. When the Degree Work falls below par it is not long before we hear the complaint of "lack of interest and small attendance."

The campaign made this year to raise the efficiency of our lodge officers has borne good fruit. Many lodges are now getting along without Rituals for the first time in years. Subordinate Lodge officers all over the state have made diligent effort to improve, even in those cases where they did not completely succeed. I am well pleased with the almost universal effort made to improve, and am confident that the beneficial effects will be felt in the lodges for years to come.

SCHOOLS OF INSTRUCTION.

At the last session of the Grand Lodge I appointed Bro. Owen Scott, P.G.M., Grand Instructor, and Bro. Chas. M. Hunt, P.G., Assistant Grand Instructor. These two Brothers have rendered efficient service to the Order and I wish to express my appreciation of the assistance they have given the Grand Master during the year.

If the state were properly laid out in Districts, the work of the Department of Ritualistic Instruction would be greatly simplified. If frequently happens that there is not the proper spirit of local co-

operation shown between the lodges, with the result that a School is often regarded as the affair of the lodge in which it is held, in place of making it the affair of the county or district. Then, to get the full benefit of these Schools, there should be someone left "on the ground" who will see that the benefits of the School do not end with the closing session. The work should be taken up by the local Deputy and carried right along from time to time, and at various places in the District, through the year.

DISTRICT DEPUTIES.

Nearly every Grand Master closes his term with a firm conviction that our system of Lodge Deputies is not altogether a success, to say the least. But as soon as the subject is touched it seems to be confounded with District representation and the matter is dropped. I trust I can make myself sufficiently clear so as to keep these two subjects from becoming mixed in the mind of anyone.

First of all may I say that I believe our system of Lodge representation, just as we have it now, is worth to the Order all it costs. A thousand Representatives come together once a year, and by their very numbers create sufficient enthusiasm to carry them through the year. This enthusiasm is carried back to the lodges of the state and results in much local activity, that would not take place under any other system. Let us retain our present system of Lodge representation, for it would be very hard to beat it.

A Deputy for each lodge is quite another thing. While we have each year many highly efficient Deputies, Brothers who are thoroughly qualified for the position, we also have many who are recommended and appointed, who by nature and experience, as well as knowledge of the laws of the Order, are wholly unfitted for such a position. We have about one thousand lodges, which means we must have one thousand Deputies, and for the Grand Master to examine each one before appointment, and to personally select one thousand Brothers to act as Deputies, one out of each lodge, is a physical impossibility. Under the present system he must take what is offered to him, and make the best of it.

The ink was barely dry on some of the Commissions given to Deputies this year before lodges were complaining of lack of interest or ability on the part of their Deputy, notwithstanding the lodges had so recently recommended them. I have found, in many cases where misunderstandings were troubling the lodges, that the Deputy was either involved in the difficulty or was incapable of settling the questions, for the reason that he was wholly innocent of a knowledge of the laws of the Order, and frequently the By-Laws of his lodge.

Then, again, if, by the reports or through correspondence, the Grand Master finds that a lodge is dormant, with a membership so

small as to make them incapable of discharging their obligations, failing to hold regular meetings, etc., he cannot hope to get very much assistance from the Deputy from such a lodge when he undertakes to remedy the situation. The Deputy is frequently at fault or has lost all influence.

I could devote many pages of this report to our system of Lodge Deputies, and then not exhaust the subject. It is cumbersome and out of date, and fails to serve the needs of the Order.

No other state is organized on the Illinois plan. All have Districts.

To complain, or criticise, and then not to propose a remedy is worse than useless. I have complained and now I recommend that this Grand Lodge give the subject of Lodge Deputies careful consideration. I further recommend that a system of Districts be worked out and provision made for a Deputy for each District, and that the number of Districts do not exceed seventy-five.

CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE.

Early in the term our Order was invited to participate in the celebration in honor of the One-Hundredth Anniversary of the admission into statehood of Illinois.

To prepare for this celebration in a suitable manner, and that our Order might make a proper showing with the other fraternal Orders, I appointed Brothers J. J. Crowder, P.G.M., Owen Scott, P.G.M., and John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary, as a committee to make the necessary arrangements and take charge of the same. I also charged this same committee with the added duty of preparing a condensed historical sketch of our Order to be used in connection with the celebration of the One Hundredth Anniversary of the establishment of the Order in the United States. I further directed this committee to have the same printed and ready for distribution at the session of the Grand Lodge this year.

RESIGNATIONS.

On Nov. 28, 1917, I received the resignation of Brother William A. Hubbard, P.G.R., as member of the Orphans' Home Board, and on Dec. 18, 1917, I appointed in his stead Brother W. R. McGaughey to fill the vacancy.

Under date of Aug. 12, 1918, I received the resignation of Brother John J. Crowder, as Grand Representative, and on Aug. 20th I appointed in his stead, to fill the vacancy, Brother James Ewing Davis, P.G.R.

NECROLOGY.

Chester M. Turner.

Judge Chester M. Turner, P.G.P., P.G.R., passed away at his home in Cambridge, Ill., on Saturday, April 27, 1918, and was buried at Toulon, Ill., Tuesday, April 30, 1918.

J Otis Humphrey.

Judge J Otis Humphrey, P.G.M., P.G.R., passed away at his home in Springfield, Ill., on June 14, 1918, and was buried June 16, 1918, at Auburn, Ill.

Columbus A. Keller.

Judge C. A. Keller, P.G.M., P.G.S., passed away at his home in San Antonio, Texas, on Feb. 21, 1918. Brother Keller was Grand Master of Illinois in 1882, but held his membership in Texas at the time of his death.

OUR HOMES.

I have made several visits to each of our Homes during the year. While I was fairly well posted as to the conditions at these Homes and the problems constantly coming up to be met and solved before I became Grand Master, the year just passed has offered me an intimate knowledge which I could not have had in any other capacity, unless I had served as a member of both Boards. I want to thank the management of our Homes for the courtesies shown me at all times.

The Orphans' Home.

This Home has been called the "Sunrise of Odd Fellowship." It is here that helpless children are gathered into sympathetic and fraternal arms, protected, nurtured and brought to that time of life when they are able to care for themselves. The work goes on year after year, the capacity always taxed, but always a way found to care for the pressing needs of the Order. The work is truly inspiring and uplifting for all concerned, and this includes the whole Order.

The Old Folks' Home.

Here again is a grand monument to Odd Fellowship. It is beautiful and God-like to defend and care for a helpless little child, but is it not really a more noble thing to care for a wornout and helpless old man or woman? Homes may be found for children because of the promise

of return in service or companionship in later years, but with the aged there is no promise but eternity.

Our Old Folks' Home has been called the "Sunset of Odd Fellowship," and so it is. Here a worthy member of our Order may find a safe harbor as he nears the end of life's journey.

But why need we regard this unexcelled institution as maintained solely as a place of refuge at the very end of our usefulness? Why not make it also the "Noonday of Odd Fellowship"?

Why not try to catch a broader vision of our opportunities, and recognize, at least in a measure, the needs of those of our members who still possess sufficient strength and vitality to be useful to themselves and the world?

Again, just why should we confine our service to the Order at our Old Folks' Home to those who can still wait on themselves and turn down those who are entirely helpless?

We have at this time a hospital, built and equipped to take care of the requirements of the Home as the cases requiring hospital attention develop. It is safe to say that this hospital does supply the present needs of the Home, and does it well. But if a Brother or Sister be in such condition as to be unable to look after his or her personal needs, and can only be cared for in a hospital, under the present rules, as provided by the Grand Lodge, the Trustees must decline to receive such members into the Home, and cannot take them directly into the hospital. This necessarily results in depriving our most needy members of the care that we can give to the less needy.

Furthermore, in many of our smaller towns no hospital is available, and those who are temporarily in need of such service must be sent to the larger cities at great expense, often beyond the means of the member and even beyond the means of the lodge.

Now, it seems to me, there is a big opportunity for real service. We already have the nucleus of a real hospital. At comparatively small outlay this hospital could be enlarged so as to care for the desperate cases that must, under present conditions, be left to public charity. To double the number of beds would not mean to double the running expense of the hospital. Much of the present overhead expense would not be materially increased, but the pressing needs would be much relieved.

To the extent of the facilities of an enlarged hospital, it is my opinion we should admit those requiring temporary hospital service, and particularly convalescent cases. Such cases should not be a burden upon the Order. Members needing this service, or the member's lodge, should be required to reimburse the hospital for the cost, at least.

By making our hospital available for hospital cases, the whole surroundings of the Home would take on a new character. It would no longer be said, "Leave hope behind, all you who enter here." It

would at once become a place where one might be physically repaired and become useful to society again. A Noonday brightness would be reflected all through the Home, as cheerful "good-byes" were said to those who had regained their health and left to take up again the duties of life.

Once let it become generally understood that the Home is a place to *recover* as well as a place to *die*, and much of the depression of the whole institution would be banished forever.

It is my opinion that the agreement entered into, by and between the Trustees and the members seeking admission to the Home, should provide that when, in the opinion of the House physician and the Trustees, the member has been sufficiently restored to health so as again to be able to provide and care for himself outside of the Home, either at his former calling or some other remunerative occupation, then such member should be discharged from the Home, that he might again take his place in the world. I believe such a contract or understanding would have a beneficial effect and would remove the idea from the mind of the member that there was nothing left for him to look forward to but death.

I recommend that the foregoing phases of our Home at Mattoon be given careful consideration, with a view, perhaps, of accumulating a fund from whatever surplus may be left each year from the Home tax dues until the amount shall be sufficient to build an addition to our hospital and equip the same.

Decision.

Under date of Aug. 17, 1918, the following was presented to the Grand Master for decision by Bro. John J. Crowder, Secretary of the Orphans' Home Board:

STATEMENT. A letter has been received by the Orphans' Home, from the Trustees of Tri-City Lodge No. 1031, which contains the following statement:

"When this lodge was organized, A. A. Hoele was initiated with other charter members, and died about three months later. He left a widow and two children, daughters, now about four and six years old, and the widow wishes to put them in the Home. As he was not a beneficiary member, we are at a loss as to just what to do, and ask that you give your opinion as soon as possible."

QUESTION: Are the children of a deceased Brother, half orphans, eligible for admission to the Home when the Brother at the time of his death was not a beneficiary member of his lodge, not having been a member for the required time?

ANSWER. Yes. We cannot assume that, because the Brother was not entitled to sick benefits while living, the same rule would apply to

his orphan children. The responsibility for denying such children the care of the Home might be irreparable, and for that reason the decision must be that, the Brother being in good standing, though not beneficiary, his orphan children are entitled to admission to the Home, if otherwise eligible.

- Decision approved.

TRAINING CAMPS IN ILLINOIS.

Camp Grant, Rockford.

Toward the close of the last term, Grand Master Arnold began to consider what ought to or could be done for the benefit of our members who were in training at the various cantonments within the state. These camps were just opening and no one knew their scope, nor what would be required on our part as Odd Fellows. Brother Arnold had only got started when his term ended and mine began.

Previous to assuming the office of Grand Master, and while I was Deputy Grand Master, and acting under instruction of Brother Arnold, I visited Rockford. I had with me on this occasion Grand Representative James Ewing Davis. At that time we took up the situation, as we understood it, with a large number of Brothers of Rockford. At this conference it was decided to work out some plan and present it at the session of 1917, for decision by the Grand Lodge.

It will be recalled there were many opinions and few facts to guide the Grand Lodge in the matter. A WAR RELIEF COMMITTEE were named by the Grand Lodge, and all matters pertaining to the war was left to this Committee. Inasmuch as the cantonments and what we could do for our members seemed to be "war matter," I at once called the Committee in consultation, and we finally met in the city of Rockford for that purpose.

It was the unanimous opinion of the Committee that we ought not to attempt to duplicate anything which was being done by the Y. M. C. A. We could not maintain a "CLUB," of a kind and on such a scale as would amount to anything and be within our means. We did not believe that we would be justified in spending several thousand dollars fitting up Club rooms and obligating ourselves to take care of the heavy expense for maintenance without specific instructions from the Grand Lodge.

While we did not feel that we should attempt to open and maintain a club, we did feel that we could be of service to our members if we established headquarters where the soldiers could come for information, and where those visiting the soldiers could receive information and assistance as required. Then, again, it seemed that we might be of service to the lodges by having someone on the ground, familiar with the camp, who would be ready at all times to visit the sick and report

to the lodges or to parents of the soldiers, and render such other assistance as might suggest itself from time to time.

Acting upon this final decision, we rented a suite of rooms in the office building at southwest corner Main and Chestnut streets, in the city of Rockford, and arranged with Brother Theo. W. VanderMark, P. G., to take charge and act as Secretary.

The Rebekah State Assembly, through its President, Sister Irene W. Cooper, and its Secretary, Sister Mae E. Crowell, furnished the rooms in a most appropriate manner, and the headquarters were opened and are now open for the convenience of the soldiers, their parents, and the lodges from whence they come.

That the arrangement, as established by your War Relief Committee, has seemed to fill the requirements is the opinion of the Grand Master, but as to whether the Order should continue the arrangement must be left to the judgment of the Grand Lodge and those upon whose shoulders will rest the responsibility of guiding our future action.

I commend Winnebago Lodge No. 31, for the good work they have done in maintaining what they call the "Welcome Club," where they have furnished opportunity for many pleasant evenings for our soldier boys.

Both our headquarters and the "Welcome Club" are mentioned in an article I clipped from the *Rockford Register Gazette*, printed Aug. 22, 1918:

ODD FELLOWS AID SOLDIERS

Comfort of Their Fraternity Fellows at Camp Is Given Careful Attention.

Outside of members of the Odd Fellows, who live in Rockford or who are closely affiliated with the state administration, only a few persons know of the untold good that has been accomplished and assistance extended to soldier members of the Order who have been stationed at Camp Grant, through the office of the Illinois Odd Fellows Soldiers' headquarters.

The Illinois Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows established a headquarters for soldiers in a suite of rooms in the Meade building last spring, installing Theodore VandeMark as secretary. The rooms, equipped with conveniences for writing, lounging or reading, are open daily and there is hardly an hour that some member of the Order is not taking advantage of an opportunity to relax from camp life.

Great care is exercised in the compilation of a card index, by which it is able to keep track of the soldier Odd Fellows from the time they enter the service. Each Subordinate Lodge in Illinois is required

to submit a filled-in blank to the Grand Lodge offices at Springfield of each of its soldier members, giving his individual history and the unit to which he is assigned.

Mr. VandeMark also keeps a file of the names of soldier Odd Fellows at Camp Grant. Consequently he is able quickly to inform a parent, or wife, where her relative may be reached in the camp. Many calls for such assistance are made upon the secretary.

He keeps in touch with Odd Fellows at camp, looking after their wants if ill, and furnishing them with luxuries that otherwise would not be theirs.

The Welcome Club, maintained by Winnebago Lodge, No. 31. is another Odd Fellows' organization in Rockford that is doing its bit to make the stay at Camp Grant pleasant for soldier members of the Order.

Both club rooms, the state headquarters in the Meade building at South Main and Chestnut streets, and the Welcome Club over 609 West State street, are open every afternoon and evening.

Great Lakes Training Station.

(Near Waukegan.)

The greatest Naval Training Station in the world is said to be the Great Lakes Station, near Waukegan, Illinois. Here are undergoing training in the neighborhood of 50,000 of America's young men, and it naturally follows that many of them are Odd Fellows.

Waukegan is the nearest town, and the Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges of Waukegan are the nearest lodges of the Odd Fellows.

It has so happened that the membership in Waukegan has fallen heir to what was originally one of the city's mansions, a two-story brick residence. This belonged to an old and greatly beloved Sister of the Rebekah Lodge in Waukegan, who willed it to the local members of the Order.

On account of this residence being conveniently located, it occurred to the Brothers and Sisters into whose hands it fell to fit it up as a Club for the use of the Navy Boys. After much thought and consultation, it was deemed feasible and the plans were developed accordingly and now I am able to report that the Club is open and in use by the Blue Jackets; a neater and more home-like arrangement could hardly be imagined. The local membership has the Club in charge, constantly looking after the comfort and entertainment of the sailor members who patronize it in large numbers.

This Club, as arranged and maintained, is a connecting link between the military and civil life. Here the boys lay aside all of the formal rules and regulations of their strenuous training, and officers and men, like the Odd Fellows that they are, meet on a common level.

At this naval club the boys may rest, read, write, or converse without intrusion, or, if they prefer, they may make use of a piano and relax completely.

Here, as at Camp Grant, the Rebekah State Assembly has participated in the work for the comfort of our members in training. The Sisters supplied the funds for the purchase of a number of pieces of furniture, rugs, etc., the local members supplying the balance.

Bros. Koester, Davis and Sikes, as well as myself, have personally visited this Club, and the War Relief Committee recommended assisting in maintaining the same by the Grand Lodge to the extent of \$100.00 a month, which began with the month of August.

What part the Grand Lodge will take in this work after this session must be decided now, as no obligations have been entered into which run after the present session.

I recommend that careful consideration be given to the situation at Waukegan, for it appears to me that in maintaining this Club an excellent opportunity is offered the Order to be of real service to our members and the sons of Odd Fellows who are in training at the Great Lakes Station.

THE PRAGER CASE.

On or about the 5th day of April, last, Brother Robert Paul Prager, a member of Harmonie Lodge No. 353, of St. Louis, Missouri, met his death at the hands of a mob in the city of Collinsville, Illinois. Shortly thereafter I received a letter from Past Grand E. F. Drewes, of Enterprise Lodge No. 369, calling my attention to the fact that the victim of this mob violence was a member of the Order and urging that the fraternity throughout the state take some action to "bring those murderers to light." Although I had received notice through the press reports of the action of this mob, the letter of Brother Drewes was the first information I had that the victim was a member of the Order. Acting upon the information thus received, I immediately issued my commission to Past Grand Master Fred B. Merills constituting him my special Deputy Grand Master for Madison Lodge No. 43 in Collinsville, Madison County, and giving him special directions hereinafter set forth.

When I transmitted this commission I wrote Brother Merrills a letter in which I laid particular stress upon my desire to have it generally understood that this Fraternal Order shall not and will not stand for mob law and that we ought to be just as quick to protect an alien enemy who submits himself to the discipline required by the federal government governing such cases as we are to prosecute disloyal citizens or alien enemies who are conducting themselves contrary to law. I also directed Brother Merrills to go the limit in his execution

of this commission and authorized him to expend such portion of the Grand Lodge funds as he deemed necessary.

Brother Merrills has submitted a report in writing covering his actions as my Deputy, which, though in terse language, is so full and complete that a repetition of the facts by me will be unnecessary. That report is as follows:

Belleville, Ill., June 29, 1918.

Hon. H. M. Blood, Grand Master, I. O. O. F., Chicago, Ill.:

DEAR BROTHER BLOOD: On or about the 13th day of April, 1918, I received from you your commission authorizing me to act as your special Deputy for Madison Lodge No. 43, Collinsville, Illinois, which commission contained the following special instructions:

"You will proceed to get into touch with the civil authorities in the matter of the death of one of our Brothers by the name of Prager at the hands of a mob in Collinsville. You will take whatever steps you deem necessary, feeling yourself unhampered by any higher authority, acting in co-operation or on your own motion that justice is done and the law of the land vindicated, as a warning that the power and influence and money of this Order is ready to defend its members against mob law. You will inform the Grand Master from time to time as to your progress in this case."

Your orders as above have been executed, and I have taken such action as in my judgment the circumstances would warrant. I herewith submit this as my report:

Briefly speaking, the facts of the case are these:

One Robert Prager, a subject of Emperor William and an alien enemy, a member of Harmonie Lodge No. 353, I. O. O. F., of St. Louis, Missouri, was taken by a mob at Collinsville and without warrant or authority of law was hanged.

The circumstances leading up to this act are about as follows:

Brother Prager was a baker. He found himself unable, either through lack of skill or through lack of money, to make good as a baker and at the same time to comply with the rules and regulations of the Food Dictator. So he closed out his bakery business and sought employment in a coal mine. It was impossible for him to obtain employment as a coal miner without becoming a member of the Coal Miners' Union. When he made application to the Miners' Union he represented that he was an experienced miner and gave references as to where he had been employed and where he had belonged to the Union. It appears that the representations made in his application would, if true, have entitled him to membership in the Union upon the payment of a fee of \$10.00. It is charged, however, by the officers of the Union that his representations were not true and that under

the facts he was required by their constitution and by-laws to pay an admission fee of \$50.00. Hence there arose between Brother Prager and certain officers of the Union an issue, the discussion of which involved him in some difficulty. His application for membership in the Union was rejected. Still he insisted upon a reconsideration and the right not only to work as a miner but the right to work in the particular mine at Maryville. He not only persisted in forcing himself upon the Union, but wrote some ill-advised statements and posted them around the mine charging the officers of the Union with preventing him from earning his daily bread. It may also be added that Brother Prager had been regarded by some people who knew him as a "nut." He was a Socialist of the extreme variety, and felt that the making over of social conditions rested very largely on his shoulders. He was an ardent supporter of the doctrines of Trade Unionism.

It seems that the miners at the Maryville Mine jumped at the conclusion that Brother Prager was seeking an opportunity to commit some act of sabotage rather than an opportunity to earn a living. Acting upon this conclusion they ran him away from the place. From Maryville he went to Collinsville. It soon became rumored in Collinsville that the miners at Maryville had run a German spy away from the mine. On Saturday evening Brother Prager was at the City Hall, whether as a prisoner or refugee, I am uncertain. A mob assembled in the city and proceeded to the City Hall demanding custody of his body. Two men entered the building and found Brother Prager secreted in some rubbish in the cellar. These two men took him from there and turned him over to the mob, who subjected him to indignities, threatened him with tar and feathers, required him to sing the "Star-Spangled Banner" and after giving him permission to write home to his parents, who live in Germany, hanged him by the neck till he was dead.

The executive department of the State of Illinois, the Attorney General's office, and the State's Attorney immediately took vigorous steps to ascertain the facts, discover the guilty persons, and bring them to the bar of justice. The coroner's jury was in session for several days. Their verdict held a number of individuals to the Grand Jury. The Grand Jury found a true bill against twelve men, charging them with murder. Eleven of the twelve were arrested but one man was not found.

On Monday, May 13th, the case was called for trial and, the People and the defense both announcing ready, the selection of a jury proceeded. This occupied several days' time. More than seven hundred men were called into the jury box. Most of these disqualified themselves by frankly admitting that they had prejudged the case. Finally twelve men were selected and sworn and the trial proper began. The

evidence was closed on the thirty-first day of May. The arguments were made on the first of June. On the evening of June first the jury retired to consider of their verdict, and after two ballots brought in a verdict of acquittal as to all of the eleven men who were on trial.

I visited Madison Lodge No. 43 at Collinsville and talked with the Noble Grand. I interviewed a number of people in Collinsville, among whom were at least two members of the Coroner's jury. I consulted frequently with the representatives of the Attorney General and with the State's Attorney. I attended the trial of the case several days. I informed myself as fully concerning the facts as it was possible without devoting to the case my entire time. In view of the information I gathered I think it proper to suggest a few conclusions:—

Brother Prager's life was unlawfully taken.

As good Odd Fellows and loyal citizens we should not question the verity of the verdict in this case. But this is not a prerequisite to a condemnation of the action of the mob.

It is doubtful if any jury could have been found in Madison or any other county which would have returned a different verdict. In criminal cases the jurors are the judges of the law as well as the facts. A state of war having been declared to exist between the United States and the German Empire and the United States being actively and vigorously prosecuting this war, it is altogether probable that our present relations with Germany had much to do with shaping the conclusion of the jury.

Mob law is very dangerous to the peace and good order of society at any time. It is much more dangerous, during a time of war, when the loyalty of every person in a community, whether a citizen or an alien, is subjected to the closest scrutiny. If the loyalty of a man or woman can be determined by a soap box tribunal there is no telling how soon one mob may be trying the members of another mob. This would bring on a reign of terror such as existed in Paris during the French Revolution, or as exists in Russia today.

The atrocities which the German Imperial Government has committed upon neutrals by invading Belgium, and by acts of piracy on the high seas, all under the guise of military necessity and the theory that might makes right, have driven our country into an alliance offensive and defensive against it. This should be a strong reason why in our dealings with alien enemies we should keep ourselves strictly within the limits circumscribed by international law.

A retrospective view of this case may suggest another conclusion.

It is common knowledge that during an exchange of diplomatic notes between the United States and the Imperial Government an officer high in the German Government stated to our Ambassador that the United States did not dare to break off diplomatic relations with

Germany because, he said, that there were five hundred thousand German reservists in the United States who would start a revolution here should this country contemplate any such action. To this bold threat the American Ambassador replied that, should anything of that kind be attempted in the United States, we had five hundred and one thousand lamp posts to hang them on. The fate of our Brother Prager will serve as a warning to any alien enemy who may be sojourning among us, and the verdict of the jury will be cold comfort to the Kaiser, when he contemplates any assistance he may expect from the reservists he has in his employ in this country.

I transmit to you herewith all correspondence and documents pertaining to my investigation, together with a number of newspaper clippings showing the extreme difficulty in obtaining a jury. I also submit a statement of my expenses.

Fraternally submitted.

FRED B. MERRILLS.

Brother Merrills' statement of expenses shows that he had devoted eight days' time, out of his office, in connection with the execution of the commission which I gave him. Also that his personal expense account amounted to \$12.65. In consideration of the fact that the work done by him was much different from that ordinarily rendered by special Deputies, and was professional in its character, I directed that a Grand Lodge warrant be drawn in his favor for the sum of \$75.00 to cover his compensation and expenses.

All documents connected with this matter are transmitted herewith.

ODD FELLOWS' LEAGUE AND RELIEF BOARD.

Though I live in Chicago and have had my office there during the past year, I have had many cases that I have referred to the "League" for their action and co-operation. If I had not been on the ground myself I would have been compelled to make even more frequent use of this organization.

Chicago is a great city, and many things are constantly happening. It is the business of the League to help those who need temporary assistance. For many years this organization has struggled along with very little to do with, but making no complaint.

The League and Relief Board is supported by free will contributions from the Cook County lodges, though the service rendered is almost entirely in the interests of lodges outside of Cook County and frequently outside of the state. I hope that the excitement caused by other matters due to the war will not prevent the lodges, and especially the Cook County lodges, from continuing to support liberally this most worthy organization, that the service which it only can render to those who need it may continue.

Following is a report by the General Secretary which I append for your information:

H. M. Blood, Grand Master I. O. O. F., Chicago, Ill.:

DEAR BROTHER BLOOD: Time in its flight has brought us to the close of another year, and I beg to submit for your consideration the annual report of the Odd Fellows' League and Relief Board.

The year that is just closing has witnessed many changes and events of great interest. The great world war in which our country is engaged has brought many changes and new problems to be solved. Never before in the history of the world has there been such a wealth of blood treasure and happiness so needlessly expended, and such gigantic armies assembled to kill, and themselves be destroyed, and what the end of this matter will be is purely conjecture. The sad fact remains that some of our Brothers will never return, others will return in a crippled condition, and it will be the duty of our lodges to care for them; at present this Organization is ready at all times to assist the lodges in this work, and also in the care of those at home who need our sympathy.

Notwithstanding the disturbed conditions everywhere, our Order is in a good condition to weather the storm. Our two Homes are being well cared for, and this organization is still, with the help of the lodges of Cook County, able to care for those who call and are worthy of assistance.

A large part of our work is of necessity of a confidential nature, and cannot be made public, as it would, at least, be very humiliating to those interested, and we must respect our Brothers' or Sisters' feelings.

We have numerous calls for information of all kinds, from the location of the different lodges, their time and place of meeting, to the sick and distressed who are in need of our sympathy. Chicago is the railroad center of our country. All roads start or stop here. This alone gives us all kinds of business, sometimes it is only a little advice, again the procuring of funds for those who for various reasons are stranded, and the changing of trains from one part of the city to another. We also meet some of our friends that are passing through the city with their loved ones, to be laid away at their old home for a last resting place. Is it not a satisfaction to be able to call up the office of the Odd Fellows' League and Relief Board and receive the necessary assistance, even if it is only a word of comfort?

Our office is located in the Masonic Temple, corner State and Randolph Streets, in Rooms 1231-1232, and is open during business hours, when no lodges are in session.

During the year the employment part of our work has been consolidated with the United States Employment Service. The General

Secretary has been made a Special Agent, and receives each day a list of places where employment may be obtained, in all parts of the state.

The receipts and disbursements for the year have been as follows:

From Subordinate Lodges.....	\$1,317.21
" Rebekah Lodges.....	241.29
" From Encampments.....	39.03
" Entertainment	157.40
" Reimbursements	1,106.75
Total.....	\$2,861.68
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1917.....	47.52
Total receipts.....	\$2,909.20
Disbursements	2,906.17
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1917.....	\$ 3.03
Due from lodges and persons.....	145.35
	\$ 148.38

Fraternally yours,

J. W. JACKSON,
General Secretary.

LITERATURE.

Early in the term there was printed and distributed through the lodges a new edition of the booklet entitled "The Independent Order of Odd Fellows." At the same time we distributed a sketch of the activities in the Order of Rutherford B. Hayes, ex-President of the United States, and the speech of Grand Sire Goudy, which was delivered at the last session of the Grand Lodge. This literature was much appreciated by the workers of the Order. It gave them at last something to place in the hands of their friends who would be apt to be interested in becoming members. My only regret is that we did not have more along the same line and larger quantities.

THE PRESS.

The Order is much indebted to the publishers of the several papers issued in the interest of the Order in Illinois. Notwithstanding the increased cost of printing, The Odd Fellows' Herald, monthly, with state-wide circulation, The Chicago Odd Fellow, weekly, with Cook County circulation, and the Egyptian Odd Fellow, monthly, circulating in the Southern counties, have appeared regularly during the year. 1

have made frequent use of the columns of these papers to reach the membership, and it has been cheerfully donated by the publishers.

If every member of our Order were a subscriber to one or all of these established publications we would never need to worry about a continuous growth. It is when a member gets out of touch with the affairs of the Order that his interest lags and finally he permits himself to drop out. As an interest-stimulator, there is nothing better than a regular visitor in the form of a paper, full of the good things of the Order. Lodges would do well to urge their members to become subscribers to at least one of these publications of proven worth as a means of sustaining interest in the lodges and the Order.

I sincerely trust that lack of appreciation on the part of our thinking and active members will not be the cause of suspending publication of any of our fraternal papers, as has already happened in other Jurisdictions and might easily happen here. It is well known that under normal conditions none of them was ever more than self-supporting. Now they are a heavy burden upon their publishers.

CONCLUSION.

In closing my report to the Grand Lodge, I wish to thank again my associate Grand Officers and those serving on the several committees for the assistance they have given me whenever and wherever they have been called upon. To work with such faithful Odd Fellows has made my burdens lighter than they might otherwise have been.

While it has sometimes seemed as if I was unfortunate to have come into the office of Grand Master just at a time when our country was preparing itself for war, and actually entering into the great world conflict, I have been strengthened by the thought that the very conditions which gave me much worry have, at the same time, afforded me unlimited opportunity to be of service to the Order which has meant so much in my life. I have tried hard to keep in mind that a little "slip," a small mistake, or a thoughtless word spoken or written might easily lead to serious consequences in a crisis like that which we are all passing through. What we may do or say today may mean much or little tomorrow.

That I have made some mistakes, I freely confess, but they have been mistakes of judgment. One cannot always foresee everything, but, so far as lay in my power, I tried to adjust myself to the constantly changing conditions, that I might keep step with the rapid march of events.

I feel, in this closing hour, that while responsibilities have been many, and at times arduous, I lay down the cares of the office of Grand Master a bigger and better man than when I took office, by reason of

having been through the fire, and made my way back into the "side lines" of Odd Fellowship.

I trust that our Order will be able to stand the test until peace shall again bless this land, and that it will always so discharge its obligations as to win the universal approval of men through all the years to come.

Fraternally yours,



H. M. Blood
Grand Master.

REPORT OF DEPUTY GRAND MASTER.

To Hon. H. M. Blood, Grand Master I. O. O. F., Chicago, Ill.:

DEAR BROTHER BLOOD: I submit you herewith my report as Deputy Grand Master I. O. O. F. for the State of Illinois, for the term about to close.

Visiting Lodges.

I will not enter into minute detail of the work I have done for the past year, but will briefly report that I have responded to every official call made upon me by any of the Lodges or organizations of the state, except when prevented from doing so by previous engagements.

Interest Manifested in the Order.

I am pleased to report that in whatever part of the state I visited I found great interest manifested in the Order. I am led to believe that the work Odd Fellowship is doing for our soldier members has created a renewed interest in the Order by the people in general, and especially by the members of our Order. I realize, however, that great effort will be necessary on the part of every officer of the Grand Lodge, and the members of the Order generally, during the coming year, to fully discharge our respective duties. It appears to me that greater efficiency is demanded in the management and conduct of our local lodges, not only as regards the secret work, the lectures and the charges, but also in relation to all of the duties and obligations resting upon the local lodges and their officers, and to such work, if elevated to the office of Grand Master, I expect to give much of my time and attention.

The War.

The war has drawn heavily upon the Order, and it is pleasing to me to note that the members of our Order have responded promptly

to the call of our country, and, as the war appears to be nearing its close, we must turn our attention to the problems that will confront us when our Brothers return to their homes, and new duties devolve upon us as citizens of the great state of Illinois, and as Odd Fellows, in readjustments which necessarily must and will take place when peace is declared and our Brothers by the thousands return home to take up their old avocations, or enter into new business endeavors.

Our Homes.

I have been pleased to visit our Old Folks' Home at Mattoon, and our Orphans' Home at Lincoln, several times during the past year, and have always found the Homes in splendid condition, the Superintendent and Matron of each Home seeming especially well fitted for their respective positions, and to have the confidence, love and esteem of all who came in contact with them. I have further found that the action of the Grand Lodge in making an assessment of one dollar per member from all members of the Subordinate Lodges of this state to support our two Homes has met with universal approval. It appears that the members enjoy paying this annual assessment for the specific purpose of supporting our aged and indigent Brothers and Sisters and our orphan children. While the management of these Homes is highly satisfactory, we must not forget that the duty rests upon each of us to continue to support them fully, and to the best of our ability at all times.

District Organization.

My experience in the last year in the office of Deputy Grand Master, together with my knowledge of the work in former years, has confirmed my belief that the state should be divided into a number of Districts, so that the Grand Master and other officers can be better enabled to meet the members of the Order and the officers and representatives and members of the Subordinate Lodges by a series of District meetings. This matter having been discussed and approved by the present Grand Master, who, I understand, is working on a plan of districting the state, I merely mention the subject to show my approval of the proposition.

Conclusion.

With the varied and engrossing duties that devolved upon all of us on account of the terrible war forced upon our beloved country, in looking over the past year and its work, I am gratified to be able to report that the Independent Order of Odd Fellows has been in the front rank at all times wherever duty called, and opportunity offered a chance to lend a helping hand to struggling humanity, and am more

than pleased that the future generations will be able to look back on the sacrifices and triumphs of our people during this year with pride and satisfaction.

To you, personally, as Grand Master, as well as to your splendid family, and to all the members of the Order who have been so kind to me during the past year, I extend my heartfelt thanks, hoping that the coming administration may be as successful as yours has been in dealing with the various problems that are presented to it for solution.

Fraternally yours,

L. M. KAGY,

Deputy Grand Master.

REPORT OF GRAND MARSHAL.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 31, 1918.

Mr. H. M. Blood, Grand Master I. O. O. F., Chicago, Ill.:

MY DEAR BROTHER BLOOD: After a year of activity as Grand Marshal, and fully appreciating the honors and responsibilities conferred upon me by reason of my appointment, I herewith tender my annual report.

My first inspiration of the sincerity, loyalty and devotion to you as Grand Master and to the aims and principles of our beloved Order by the Brothers and Sisters of our great state of Illinois was at that mammoth reception given in your honor at the Second Regiment Armory, Chicago, on the 24th day of November, 1917, upon our return from our Grand Lodge session at Springfield, Illinois.

It was then that I realized more than ever before our mission as Odd Fellows to Brothers and Sisters indisposed by sickness, our indigent, our orphans and our Brothers in the service for the safety, democracy, freedom and liberty of our country, and it has been the one ambition of my life and particularly this last year to serve my fellow Brothers and my country to the very best of my ability.

Being a resident of Chicago, my field of labor has naturally been confined mostly to Cook County, and my visitation to lodges as summarized is as follows:

During the month of December	6
“ “ “ “ January	7
“ “ “ “ February	6
“ “ “ “ March	12
“ “ “ “ April	5
“ “ “ “ May	5
“ “ “ “ June	4
“ “ “ “ July	5
“ “ “ “ August	3
“ “ “ “ September	4
“ “ “ “ October	6

A total of sixty-three visits during the period of eleven months.

In addition to these visitations to lodges, I have looked after a number of Brothers from outside jurisdictions who have been temporarily sick in hospitals in Chicago. Among these was Past Grand Master Van Domlin of Minnesota, who was confined to the Chicago Eye and Ear Hospital for several weeks. I have also assisted in the dedication of an Odd Fellows' Temple and in the institution of two I. O. O. F. Lodges.

During the vacation period last summer I had the pleasure of visiting several lodges in the state of Michigan and I was agreeably surprised to note that the Brothers of the various lodges were very active in looking after their members who are in the service of our country.

This is in substance my year's work and I assure you, my dear Grand Master, that it has been a work of pleasure because of the congenial association of all Grand Officers and all the Brothers that I have come in contact with.

Sincerely and fraternally yours,

A. G. ANDERSON,

Grand Marshal.

REPORT OF GRAND CHAPLAIN.

Evanston, Ill., Oct. 19, 1918.

Mr. H. M. Blood, Grand Master I. O. O. F. of Illinois, Chicago, Ill.:

HONORED AND ESTEEMED SIR: I am grateful for the opportunity which has been given me this year of a larger fellowship among the lodges of Illinois. I have refused no opportunity of service, save on one or two occasions, when a conflict of dates made my co-operation impossible.

I have spoken at Schools of Instruction and other meetings arranged by yourself at Centralia, Oglesby, Rockford and Plano. On these occasions I have undertaken to expound the principles of our Order, especially as they relate to the great crisis in the world's history through which we are passing.

I have attended several receptions to Grand Officers of the Grand Lodge and of the Assembly, taking such part in the program as was assigned me. I remember with pleasure the great reception given to you in Chicago and to Mrs. Sherman, Warden of the Assembly, and acknowledge with deep gratitude the courtesies shown me at my own reception in Evanston, attended by so many of the leaders of our Order in Illinois. On other occasions lodges have arranged meetings in my honor for which I extend my grateful appreciation.

A number of speaking appointments have been arranged in the state without any expense to the Grand Lodge, traveling expenses being borne by the local lodges that were interested. On such journeys I

have visited Gibson City, Gridley, Decatur, Batavia, Walworth, Wisconsin, the county meeting of Lake County held in Crystal Lake, and Dunlap.

A great many lodge visitations of an informal character have been made in Cook County, of which no record has been kept, but some of the more formal occasions at which a set address was given were a circuit meeting at Clifton Hall of the North Shore Circuit, a circuit meeting on the west side at 1606 West Madison Street, a lodge meeting at 180 Washington Street, Denmark Lodge, Humboldt Park Lodge, and Irving Park Lodge. I have attended and spoken briefly at a number of the Cook County organizations of the Order, such as the Deputies' Association, Cook County Picnic and Anniversary Association, and others.

I was not able to respond to all calls to assist in celebrating the Anniversary of the Order and the Memorial Day, but did the best I could to meet the demands. I delivered Anniversary addresses at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, Gibson City, Highland Park, and Ottawa. At Gibson City two thousand people assembled in the Chautauqua Tabernacle to hear the address. Stores and schools were closed in the afternoon for the occasion.

In celebrating Memorial Sunday, I went to Rockford and there four lodges, several encampments, cantons, and Rebekah lodges joined in a great parade to the West Side cemetery, where the exercises were held. I have found few cities in the state so alive in Odd Fellowship as Rockford. The following Sunday I spoke at three Memorial services in Chicago. The South Side Memorial Association held its meeting in the Englewood theater with over a thousand people present. I spoke at this meeting in the morning and in the afternoon addressed the Rose Hill Association at the Rose Hill cemetery with another great audience. In the evening there was a meeting of North Shore lodges in my church to which I spoke. I also gave the Memorial address at Highland Park later in the month.

On July 21 my church furnished hospitality to the splendid band of our Orphans' Home and we had present at the morning service a great congregation of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs from various parts of Cook County. A lunch was served by the Rebekahs of Evanston and Rogers Park at the church at the close of the service, owing to the distance many of the visitors came.

I have helped lodges dedicate service flags, conduct funerals, and perform other duties as requests came to me from time to time.

I remember with special interest the preparation of a ritual for the marking of the death of our soldiers and sailors in the service of their country. It was your idea that we should have such a ritual and, guided by your splendid suggestions, the ritual was pre-

pared and circulated among the lodges, where I trust it may always be used when there is occasion.

I have been glad to furnish news and short articles for the fraternal press occasionally and only regret that I have not done more of this kind of work. My connection on the editorial staff of a religious weekly has given me some convictions with regard to the value of the fraternal press and of our duty to co-operate heartily in improving our papers.

So far I have been reciting history, but, if I might be pardoned a word of suggestion, it is that our lodges have not rightly apprehended the opportunities of the "good of the Order" part of our meetings. I have frequently made lodge suggestions which, if carried out, would make the meetings more educational, more fraternal, and, above all, more interesting. Small lodges cannot have ritual work all of the time, and, furthermore, not all members can be interested in this type of activity. The lodge should have a broad interest in all of the uplift work of the community and the lodge meetings may well be occasions in which we give fraternalism a broader interpretation. While I feel some special obligation to an Odd Fellow, I cannot believe that the Good Samaritan looked for a lodge pin before he began his wonderful service to his fellowman.

I wish to express the deep satisfaction in the fellowship I have had with the Grand Officers, certainly a most happy and harmonious group of men this year. I shall count the personal friendships I have made as ample compensation for rather arduous labors, especially that friendship which I count myself to have formed with an able and conscientious Grand Master.

With best wishes for the future enlargement and power of our Order, I am,

Fraternally yours, .

ORVIS F. JORDAN,

Grand Chaplain.

REPORT OF GRAND INSTRUCTOR.

H. M. Blood, Grand Master of Illinois I. O. O. F.:

The office of Grand Instructor was accepted with a determination to make this part of our work mean all for which the excellent ritual so well provides. The Order of Odd Fellows will grow and prosper in proportion to the amount of efficiency that lodges put into the conferring of degrees. It will languish and retrograde as this is poorly or indifferently done. Important as the unwritten work is in detecting frauds and imposters and in furnishing means of identification as Odd Fellows, it carries with it almost nothing of the great fundamentals

that have caused such marvelous advancement during the nearly 100 years of the existence of the Order in America. For this reason I have sought to impress the Brethren everywhere with the dignity and magnitude of the institution. Good degree work has been exalted and the poor condemned.

Organization Needed.

Little was possible to be done in the present unorganized condition of the Order. There are nearly 1,000 lodges in the state, each with its local deputy. There is no such thing as a division of territory or responsibility. The Grand Instructor cannot go into more than a few of the vast number of lodges. Time will not permit. Heretofore the only method of reaching members, degree staffs, and lodges was through sporadic methods, improperly called "schools." These could partake of little in the nature of real instruction. Momentary enthusiasm may be generated by rousing speeches at these gatherings but the Brethren go away with little for the improvement and building up of their lodges.

The only meeting of any particular representative character during the year was the one held in Good Samaritan Hall in Chicago on September 12. Through the efficient services of Assistant Grand Instructor, Bro. C. M. Hunt, forty-six out of the 116 Cook County lodges were represented. Each degree was gone over and the vital part illustrated by a team prepared for that purpose. The difficulty, even here, was the want of time. One session is not sufficient. In all this, the weakness is in want of district organization, with a responsible representative of the Grand Master in charge. This does not mean district representation in Grand Lodge. This should remain precisely as it is, one from each lodge. The districts should be organized and equipped for service under the direction of the Grand Master. With such a plan, a system of schools could be held that would reach the high mark of efficiency so necessary to future progress. This cannot be done in one year. Suitable provision should be made at this session so that there may be a beginning. In the course of a few years a system of instruction can be built up that will push our fraternity forward in membership, so that the money needed to put this plan into execution will be returned many fold.

Our Country's Flag.

Under the pressure of the intense patriotism of the times, it seemed that there should be especial emphasis placed on the flag of our country. Consequently a flag ceremony was prepared for use in every lodge at its opening. In this it was required that each member



JOHN W. BIRNEY,
Deputy Grand Master,
Bloomington.

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and visitor express his fidelity to the cause and country of freedom by saluting Old Glory over the altar, upon which is the open Bible, the foundation from which the teachings of our Order are drawn. This flag ceremony was printed and sent to all the lodges of the State and is as follows:

Flag Ceremony.

In order that there may be uniformity in the various lodges of the State a Flag Ceremony has been provided

The Noble Grand calls the lodge to order and satisfies himself that all present are qualified to remain. Immediately following and before the lodge is opened he says:

"The Warden and the committee (previously designated by the Noble Grand, the Conductor may be one of the committee) will retire and present the flag of our country."

They retire, without ceremony, in single file, the Warden in the center. On reaching the ante-room the Warden takes the flag, which should be mounted on a staff, and with the committee returns to the inner door. He gives an alarm to attract the attention of the inside guardian. The inside guardian says:

"Noble Grand, the Warden and committee bearing the flag are ready to enter."

N. G.: "You will admit them."

As they enter, without signal, the Lodge rises and sings the first verse of "My Country, 'Tis of Thee."

They enter, single file, the Warden, bearing the flag, in the center. They proceed to the center of the room, facing the Noble Grand. As soon as they have reached the center and the singing is completed, the one on the right opens the Bible on the altar before them. The Noble Grand says:

"Brothers, salute the Flag."

This is the regular military salute, bringing the open right hand to the right side of the forehead, then dropping it to the side.

The Warden and committee proceed in single file to the station of the Noble Grand and the flag is presented to the Noble Grand, who places it in a socket at his right hand.

The Warden and the committee then proceed to their places and the lodge is seated.

Meetings Held.

Beginning in December, 1917, and continuing through February, 1918, a series of rally meetings was held as follows:

December—Lindenwood, Ogle County; Wheaton, DuPage County; Centralia, Marion County; Fairbury, Livingston County; Nashville,

Washington County; Oglesby, La Salle County; Rockford, Winnebago County; Plano, Kendall County; Mason City, Mason County, and St. Elmo, Fayette County.

January—Macomb, McDonough County; Stronghurst, Henderson County; Metropolis, Massac County; Cairo, Alexander County; Vermilion, Edgar County; Rantoul, Champaign County; Marion, Williamson County, and Clinton, DeWitt County.

February—Cuba, Fulton County; McLeansboro, Hamilton County; Grayville, White County; Marengo, McHenry County; St. Charles, Kane County; Ridgway, Gallatin County; Watseka, Iroquois County, and Joliet, Will County.

These meetings were all scheduled prior to the meeting of Grand Lodge. It was my privilege to attend many of these but it was not possible to be at all. The Grand Master, or some one by him designated, was present at each, where I could not be.

Other meetings were held during the year as follows: Farmer City, December 19; Lexington, February 22; Fillmore, February 27; Peoria, March 9; Palmyra, March 13; Decatur, March 20; Chicago, July 24; Chicago, September 12, and Danville, September 24. The very serious snow blockade in January and February materially interfered with the attendance at many of these places. The influenza epidemic and state quarantine prevented the holding of other meetings planned later in the year. In all the gatherings held many faithful and loyal Brethren were present and rendered great service.

Valued Helpers.

I desire to express my hearty appreciation of the valuable assistance given by Brother Charles M. Hunt, the Assistant Grand Instructor. Living in Chicago he was able to care for the work there. This I could not have done, living nearly 200 miles away. The corps of Official Instructors throughout the state, a list of whom is appended to this report, were always faithful and efficient and ready to serve. A large volume of correspondence has been found necessary. I do not feel that I should close this report without acknowledgment of my full appreciation of the honor of being called by you to fill this very important position.

During the year I have commissioned the following as Official Instructors:

Adams County.

Elsely, P. C.....QuincyGem City Lodge.....No. 357

Boone County.

White, G. H.....BelvidereBig Thunder Lodge....No. 28

Bureau County.

Hey, F. W.....	Ohio	Shamo Lodge.....	No. 627
Hock, Jesse A.....	Tiskilwa	Senachwine Lodge.....	No. 147
Booth, A. H.....	New Bedford.....	Fellowship Lodge.....	No. 437

Cass County.

Cunningham, G. W.....	Virginia	Saxon Lodge.....	No. 68
Dale, Geo. A.....	Virginia	Saxon Lodge.....	No. 68
Millner, Geo. O.....	Virginia	Saxon Lodge.....	No. 68
Rudisill, Harry H.....	Virginia	Arcadia Lodge.....	No. 92

Christian County.

Davis, Albert	Taylorville	Hyperion Lodge.....	No. 1006
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Clay County.

Porter, John M.....	Flora	Flora Lodge.....	No. 151
Yeck, W. W.....	Flora	Flora Lodge.....	No. 151
Dillman, D. W.....	Louisville	Louisville Lodge.....	No. 556
Myers, Stephen B.....	Louisville	Louisville Lodge.....	No. 556
Pierce, J. A.....	Xenia	Orphans' Hope Lodge.....	No. 213

Clinton County.

Shoemaker, Frank.....	Carlyle	Erie Lodge.....	No. 38
Settle, Russell.....	Carlyle	Erie Lodge.....	No. 38
Forsman, O. C.....	Carlyle	Erie Lodge.....	No. 38
Carter, A. W.....	Trenton	Clinton Lodge.....	No. 555
Johnston, O.....	Carlyle	Erie Lodge.....	No. 38
Mueller, Matthew	Trenton	Clinton Lodge.....	No. 555

Cook County.

Ford, L. Walter.....	Chicago	Prosperity Lodge.....	No. 782
Beden, Wayne L.....	Harvey	Harvey Lodge.....	No. 80
Misbach, J. T.....	River Grove.....	River Grove Lodge.....	No. 259
Beebe, Harry W.....	West Pullman.....	West Pullman Lodge.....	No. 817
Calvin, S. J.....	Chicago	Gresham Lodge.....	No. 448
Levinson, Abraham.....	Chicago	South Park Lodge.....	No. 448
Farwell, E. C.....	Chicago	I Will Lodge.....	No. 141
Stobbs, Thos. C.....	Harvey	Harvey Lodge.....	No. 80
Holmes, John L.....	Chicago	Golden Rod Lodge.....	No. 59
Anderson, P. J.....	Chicago	Denmark Lodge.....	No. 908
Anderson, A. G.....	Chicago	Three Links Lodge.....	No. 812
Holmberg, Axel J.....	Chicago	Three Links Lodge.....	No. 812
Clemmens, H. H.....	Chicago	Nonparell Lodge.....	No. 331
Harris, Geo. W.....	Chicago	Prosperity Lodge.....	No. 782
Schrod, August.....	Chicago	Austin Park Lodge.....	No. 645
Brevitz, Victor.....	Chicago	John Ericsson Lodge.....	No. 361
Melers, Fred A.....	Chicago	Nonparell Lodge.....	No. 331
Friedrich, John.....	Chicago	Robert Blum Lodge.....	No. 53
Helton, Walter R.....	Chicago	Golden Rod Lodge.....	No. 59
Merrifield, H. E.....	Chicago	Golden Rod Lodge.....	No. 59
Marting, Frank P.....	Chicago	Golden Rod Lodge.....	No. 59
Weigand, J. C.....	Chicago	New Chicago Lodge.....	No. 506
Rothstein, I.....	Chicago	Golden Harmony Lodge.....	No. 917
Schwarz, Emerick.....	Chicago	New Chicago Lodge.....	No. 506
Harrison, Harry.....	Chicago	Gresham Lodge.....	No. 448
Farris, James A.....	Harvey	Harvey Lodge.....	No. 80
Madsen, Frank M.....	Harvey	Harvey Lodge.....	No. 80
Beatty, H. E.....	Harvey	Harvey Lodge.....	No. 80
Figg, Wm. L.....	Harvey	Harvey Lodge.....	No. 80
Hewitt, H. II.....	Chicago	Austin Park Lodge.....	No. 645
Christensen, A. B.....	Chicago	Austin Park Lodge.....	No. 645
Klitzke, Hugo.....	Chicago (Oak Park)	Harmonia Lodge.....	No. 221
Martiny, Michael.....	Chicago	New Chicago Lodge.....	No. 506
Rech, John.....	Chicago	New Chicago Lodge.....	No. 506
Clausen, John F.....	Chicago	Golden Rod Lodge.....	No. 59
Cheatle, H. J.....	Chicago	John Corson Smith L.....	No. 990
Lundgren, S. A.....	Chicago	Normal Lodge.....	No. 509
Krepp, Fred.....	Chicago	New Chicago Lodge.....	No. 506
Welker, Irving W.....	Chicago	Austin Park Lodge.....	No. 645
Clark, Robert.....	Chicago	Hyde Park Lodge.....	No. 722
Larson, Gustaf.....	Chicago	John Ericsson Lodge.....	No. 361

Vanderlinden, Richard.....	Chicago	Prosperity Lodge.....	No. 782
Vlasaty, Robert.....	Chicago	Praha Lodge.....	No. 231
Buschbeck, Chas. H.....	Chicago	Douglas Lodge.....	No. 432
Imhoff, W. H.....	Chicago	Normal Lodge.....	No. 509
Selbold, H.....	Chicago	Normal Lodge.....	No. 509
Sundberg, John.....	Chicago	Three Links Lodge.....	No. 512
Peterson, E. W.....	Chicago	John Ericsson Lodge.....	No. 361
Elving, Louis.....	Chicago	John Ericsson Lodge.....	No. 361
Windrow, Sven.....	Chicago	Three Links Lodge.....	No. 812
Munro, Alex.....	Chicago	Gresham Lodge.....	No. 418
Rye, A. C.....	Chicago	Denmark Lodge.....	No. 908
Messler, L. B.....	Chicago	Eagle Lodge.....	No. 492
Ladwig, Chas. A.....	Chicago	Pt. Dearborn Lodge.....	No. 230
Norris, M. L.....	Chicago	Good Samaritan Lodge.....	No. 540
Kinch, Joseph.....	Chicago	Robert Blum Lodge.....	No. 58
Kornbe, Joseph.....	Chicago	Hutton Lodge.....	No. 398
Schmid, Anton J.....	Chicago	Harmonia Lodge.....	No. 221
Jahnke, Theo. F.....	Chicago	Good Samaritan Lodge.....	No. 540
Caygill, Geo.....	Berwyn	Berwyn Lodge.....	No. 455
Soderberg, A.....	Chicago	Union Lodge.....	No. 9
Armitage, Edward R.....	Chicago	Portage Park Lodge.....	No. 1041

Cumberland County.

Vanaway, W. J.....	Toledo	Toledo Lodge.....	No. 355
Bradshaw, C. C.....	Toledo	Toledo Lodge.....	No. 355
Nees, J. H.....	Greenup	Atalanta Lodge.....	No. 116
Travis, James C.....	Greenup	Atalanta Lodge.....	No. 116
Shepard, W. L.....	Greenup	Atalanta Lodge.....	No. 116
Nees, Eugene.....	Greenup	Atalanta Lodge.....	No. 116

Champaign County.

Weaver, M. C.....	Champaign	Champaign Lodge.....	No. 333
Walkington, Wm.....	Champaign	Champaign Lodge.....	No. 333
Hurley, H. R.....	Mahomet	Mahomet Lodge.....	No. 529
Irie, Charles.....	Mahomet	Mahomet Lodge.....	No. 529
Sackriter, George.....	Mahomet	Mahomet Lodge.....	No. 529
Smith, M. E.....	Mahomet	Mahomet Lodge.....	No. 529

Clark County.

Merrick, John	Westfield	Westfield Lodge.....	No. 644
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DeKalb County.

Fritz, W. B.....	DeKalb	DeKalb Lodge.....	No. 155
Henning, J. B.....	DeKalb	DeKalb Lodge.....	No. 155
Wallmark, William.....	Sycamore	Sycamore Lodge.....	No. 105
Middleton, R. A.....	DeKalb	DeKalb Lodge.....	No. 155

DeWitt County.

Scogin, Jay B.....	Wapella	Forest Lodge.....	No. 255
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Douglas County.

Pullen, Harvey W.....	Arcola	Arcola Lodge.....	No. 289
Miller, S. M.....	Arcola	Milson Lodge.....	No. 447
Coley, George.....	Tuscola	Tuscola Lodge.....	No. 318
Jones, T. S.....	Villa Grove	Villa Grove Lodge.....	No. 927

Effingham County.

Mason, Arthur	Watson	Watson Lodge.....	No. 321
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Edgar County.

Stevenson, John J.....	Paris	Edgar Lodge.....	No. 91
Mercer, Thomas K.....	Paris	Austin Lodge.....	No. 664

Fayette County.

Hanks, A. P.....	Farina	Farina Lodge.....	No. 634
Whitford, O. J.....	Farina	Farina Lodge.....	No. 634

Fulton County.

Huff, John W.	Cuba	Good Faith Lodge	No. 752
Boynnton, V. C.	Vermont	Vermont Lodge	No. 79
McDermet, J. J.	Marietta	Marietta Lodge	No. 523

Franklin County.

Taylor, J. W.	Ewing	Ewing Lodge	No. 527
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Hamilton County.

Elliott, Walson	McLeansboro	Hamilton Lodge	No. 191
Green, Adam	McLeansboro	Hamilton Lodge	No. 191

Henry County.

Turner, Chester M.	Cambridge	Cambridge Lodge	No. 199
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Johnson County.

Hubbard, Sigel	Goreville	Goreville Lodge	No. 528
Coleman, John L.	Goreville	Goreville Lodge	No. 528

JoDaviess County.

Eggleston, W. F.	Galena	Wildey Lodge	No. 5
Schweitzer, P. C.	Galena	Wildey Lodge	No. 5
Weber, John	Galena	Wildey Lodge	No. 5

Jefferson County.

Melton, Dan G.	Mt. Vernon	Marion Lodge	No. 13
Badgett, O. H.	Mt. Vernon	Marion Lodge	No. 13

Jackson County.

Burbank, A. W.	Carbondale	Carbondale Lodge	No. 233
Kilby, K. H.	Murphysboro	Amity Lodge	No. 132
Wright, John F.	Murphysboro	Amity Lodge	No. 132

Kane County.

Bunsted, J. H.	Carpentersville	Century Lodge	No. 492
Bauder, William	Montgomery	Argus Lodge	No. 514
Stevens, C. W.	St. Charles	St. Charles Lodge	No. 14
Hanner, Glenn S.	St. Charles	St. Charles Lodge	No. 14

Kankakee County.

Thompson, T. H.	Kankakee	Howard Lodge	No. 218
Dawson, Frank M.	Kankakee	Howard Lodge	No. 218

Kendall County.

Skinner, Frank R.	Yorkville	Yorkville Lodge	No. 539
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Knox County.

Heselden, W. D.	Galesburg	Veritas Lodge	No. 478
Riepen, E. F.	Galesburg	Veritas Lodge	No. 478
Swanson, F. O.	Galesburg	First Scandinavian L.	No. 446

LaSalle County.

Turner, Geo.	Streator	Streator Lodge	No. 602
Roberts, Elmer E.	Ottawa	Ottawa Lodge	No. 41
Halladay, Chas. M.	Ottawa	Ottawa Lodge	No. 41
Richards, Wm. J.	LaSalle	LaSalle Lodge	No. 101
Rich, A. G.	Streator	Streator Lodge	No. 602
Hillmer, Henry	Mendota	Mendota Lodge	No. 293
Bleything, A. C.	Streator	Streator Lodge	No. 602
Nadler, Edward	Ottawa	Ottawa Lodge	No. 41
Trembly, S. B.	Mendota	Mendota Lodge	No. 293
Young, Thomas	LaSalle	LaSalle Lodge	No. 101
Gunn, Judson	Oglesby	South Side Lodge	No. 1007

Lawrence County.

Fyffe, Oscar B.	Sumner	Sumner Lodge	No. 249
Martin, Marlon	Sumner	Sumner Lodge	No. 249
Scott, Thomas	Bridgeport	Triple Link Lodge	No. 115

Lee County.

McLaughlin, D. R.	Paw Paw	Anchor Lodge	No. 510
Robbins, C. A.	Dixon	Dixon Lodge	No. 39
Gigous, W. W.	Dixon	Dixon Lodge	No. 39

Livingston County.

Holdridge, C. R.	Saunemin	Saunemin Lodge	No. 725
Bennett, Andrew	Fairbury	Livingston Lodge	No. 290
Ong, Wm. H.	Pontiac	Pontiac Lodge	No. 262

Logan County.

McDonald, E.	Lincoln	Lincoln Lodge	No. 204
Rayburn, E. B.	Fancy Prairie	Middletown Lodge	No. 470
Coates, John L.	Lincoln	Lincoln Lodge	No. 204

Macon County.

Hall, A. C.	Decatur	Decatur Lodge	No. 65
Cooper, R. M.	Decatur	Decatur Lodge	No. 65
Schario, Louis	Decatur	Decatur Lodge	No. 65
Wacaser, T. V.	Decatur	Decatur Lodge	No. 65
Baldwin, D. E.	Decatur	Decatur Lodge	No. 65
Shoemaker, J. A.	Decatur	Decatur Lodge	No. 65
Lowry, O. L.	Decatur	Decatur Lodge	No. 65
Reddix, T. B.	Decatur	Decatur Lodge	No. 65
Hunt, Harry H.	Decatur	Decatur Lodge	No. 65
Reeves, E. L.	Decatur	Celestial Lodge	No. 186
Johnson, J. E.	Decatur	Celestial Lodge	No. 186
Curry, W. W.	Decatur	Celestial Lodge	No. 186
Lehman, A. C.	Decatur	Celestial Lodge	No. 186
Kennedy, S. O.	Decatur	Decatur Lodge	No. 65
Ball, J. E.	Decatur	Decatur Lodge	No. 65

Macoupin County.

Brandom, Oren T.	Hettick	Hettick Lodge	No. 753
Patterson, E. M.	Hettick	Hettick Lodge	No. 753
Jones, N. A.	Plainview	Plainview Lodge	No. 982
Patterson, C. S.	Scottville	Scottville Lodge	No. 226
Ditson, Asa L.	Palmyra	Palmyra Lodge	No. 348
Robison, Kenneth E.	Hettick	Hettick Lodge	No. 753
McCullum, Chas. D.	Hettick	Hettick Lodge	No. 753
Shanner, F. R.	Plainview	Plainview Lodge	No. 982

Massac County.

Spencer, T. C.	Metropolis	Massac Lodge	No. 442
Speckman, Erwin	Metropolis	Massac Lodge	No. 442

Monroe County.

Frenzel, H. J.	Waterloo	Waterloo Lodge	No. 27
Schulthels, Henry	Waterloo	Waterloo Lodge	No. 27

Montgomery County.

Nichols, W. M.	Hillsboro	Montgomery Lodge	No. 40
Potter, F. M.	Hillsboro	Montgomery Lodge	No. 40
Hoskins, Clifford	Hillsboro	Montgomery Lodge	No. 40
Barnwell, C. G.	Litchfield	Litchfield Lodge	No. 724
Baumgartner, J. J.	Fillmore	Fillmore Lodge	No. 1011
Hart, K. R.	Hillsboro	Montgomery Lodge	No. 40
Denton, J. F.	Hillsboro	Montgomery Lodge	No. 40
Frarar, Wallace	Hillsboro	Montgomery Lodge	No. 40
Donaldson, M. E.	Fillmore	Fillmore Lodge	No. 1011
Grigg, W. A.	Fillmore	Fillmore Lodge	No. 1011

Marshall County.

Jenkins, A. M.....	Lacon	Lacon Lodge.....	No. 88
Curtis, Benjamin D.....	Lacon	Lacon Lodge.....	No. 88

Morgan County.

Stein, P. G.....	Jacksonville	Illini Lodge.....	No. 4
Allen, Robert C.....	Jacksonville	Illini Lodge.....	No. 4
Haiber, John C.....	Jacksonville	Illini Lodge.....	No. 4
McAllister, Clyde	Meredosia	Meredosia Lodge.....	No. 962
Ellis, Arthur	Jacksonville	Illini Lodge.....	No. 4
Bown, Elzie R.....	Jacksonville	Illini Lodge.....	No. 4

Marion County.

Cobb, E. M.....	Centralia	Queen City Lodge.....	No. 179
Livesay, J. R.....	Patoka	Patoka Lodge.....	No. 860
Quayle, J. C.....	Vernon	Vernon Lodge.....	No. 324
Epps, J. W.....	Vernon	Vernon Lodge.....	No. 324
Jones, E. J.....	Salem	Mt. Olive Lodge.....	No. 114
Jones, W. J.....	Vernon	Vernon Lodge.....	No. 324
Paden, F. L.....	Centralia	Queen City Lodge.....	No. 179

Menard County.

Wilson, E. C.....	Petersburg	Salem Lodge.....	No. 123
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McDonough County.

Baughman, C. D.....	Bushnell	Bushnell Lodge.....	No. 322
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McLean County.

Whiston, John T.....	Bloomington	Remembrance Lodge.....	No. 77
Jones, Rolla	Bloomington	Remembrance Lodge.....	No. 77
Bullinger, George.....	Bloomington	Remembrance Lodge.....	No. 77
Whiteman, Ira M.....	Lexington	McLean Lodge.....	No. 206
Mitchell, E. F.....	Lexington	McLean Lodge.....	No. 206
Skidmore, S. W.....	Towanda	McLean Lodge.....	No. 206
Clarke, Henry	Bloomington	Bloomington Lodge.....	No. 460
Gehrt, Frank J.....	Normal	Odd Fellows Lodge.....	No. 783
Edborg, Gus	Bloomington	Remembrance Lodge.....	No. 77
Jones, T. T.....	Normal	Odd Fellows Lodge.....	No. 783
Storer, A. A.....	Bloomington	Remembrance Lodge.....	No. 77

McHenry County.

Dilley, Wm. A.....	Harvard	Harvard Lodge.....	No. 1013
Fick, Otto	Harvard	Harvard Lodge.....	No. 1013
Shepard, Alfred H.....	Harvard	Harvard Lodge.....	No. 1013

Ogle County.

Johnson, Chas. H.....	Polo	Polo Lodge.....	No. 197
Dingley, C. A.....	Polo	Polo Lodge.....	No. 197
Randall, E. G.....	Polo	Polo Lodge.....	No. 197

Pike County.

Morey, M.....	Barry	Barry Lodge.....	No. 336
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Peoria County.

Firth, Jas. W.....	Peoria	Columbla Lodge.....	No. 21
Steiner, Wallace B.....	Chillicothe	Calumet Lodge.....	No. 196
Allen, Oscar	Chillicothe	Calumet Lodge.....	No. 196
Reed, C. N.....	Chillicothe	Calumet Lodge.....	No. 196
Sexton, Frank E.....	Chillicothe	Calumet Lodge.....	No. 196
Clark, Walter	Dunlap	Sylvan Lodge.....	No. 154
Sturms, Elmer	Chillicothe	Calumet Lodge.....	No. 196

Rock Island County.

Arnold, S. E.	Moline	Manufacturers Lodge	No. 455
Paul, A. M.	Moline	Manufacturers Lodge	No. 455
Easton, E. J.	Moline	Manufacturers Lodge	No. 455
Reld, J. A.	Rock Island	Rock Island Lodge	No. 18
Krenkenshuh, Geo.	Rock Island	Rock Island Lodge	No. 18
Wonlo, Walter	Rock Island	Rock Island Lodge	No. 18
McLean, Tom	Rock Island	Ucal Lodge	No. 608

Schuyler County.

Barnes, F. E.	Rushville	Friendship Lodge	No. 24
Payton, Isaac	Rushville	Friendship Lodge	No. 24
Lawler, R. A.	Rushville	Friendship Lodge	No. 24
Young, Hugh B.	Rushville	Friendship Lodge	No. 24
Black, Robert	Rushville	Friendship Lodge	No. 24
Elgin, S. T.	Rushville	Friendship Lodge	No. 24
Patterson, Guy	Rushville	Friendship Lodge	No. 24

Stark County.

Adams, Sam'l B.	Wyoming	Wyoming Lodge	No. 244
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St. Clair County.

Judge, John I.	East St. Louis	Golden Rule Lodge	No. 374
Ottman, John E.	East St. Louis	Helvetia Lodge	No. 480
Spaulding, Geo. B.	East St. Louis	Pride of the Valley L.	No. 435
Murphy, W. A.	East St. Louis	Pride of the Valley L.	No. 435
Campbell, E. H.	East St. Louis	Pride of the Valley L.	No. 435
Root, John H.	East St. Louis	Helvetia Lodge	No. 480

Sangamon County.

Warnick, J. D.	Rochester	Rochester Lodge	No. 268
Worley, R. E.	Springfield	Sangamon Lodge	No. 6
Priestman, Ed.	Springfield	Sangamon Lodge	No. 6
Crowder, W. S.	Springfield	Teutonia Lodge	No. 166
Baldwin, Lew E.	Pleasant Plains	Welcome Lodge	No. 770

Tazewell County.

Sinker, Henry	Minier	Viola Lodge	No. 638
Ensleman, Theo.	Washington	Tazewell Lodge	No. 144
Best, John	Washington	Tazewell Lodge	No. 144

Vermilion County.

Moore, Jesse W.	Hoopeston	Hoopeston Lodge	No. 493
Snyder, Will C.	Danville	Fenrbach Lodge	No. 499
Mullen, Ira W.	Danville	Danville Lodge	No. 69
McDowell, J. I.	Sidell	Sidell Lodge	No. 225
Russell, W. R.	Tilton	Tilton Lodge	No. 131
Holton, Henry C.	Sidell	Sidell Lodge	No. 225
Skinner, Elmer	Sidell	Sidell Lodge	No. 225

Warren County.

Little, Oscar	Little York	York Lodge	No. 153
Bullemer, F. C.	Little York	York Lodge	No. 153
Buttorff, W. S.	Little York	York Lodge	No. 153
Temple, M. B.	Little York	York Lodge	No. 153

Winnebago County.

Lind, Frank A.	Rockford	Tegner Lodge	No. 799
Pagerburg, C. R.	Rockford	Tegner Lodge	No. 799
Larson, Carl	Rockford	Tegner Lodge	No. 799
Carlson, Chas. E.	Rockford	Tegner Lodge	No. 799
Stack, Robert P.	Rockford	Winnebago Lodge	No. 31
Mortensen, H. L.	Rockford	Winnebago Lodge	No. 31
Getts, Arthur	Rockford	Kent Lodge	No. 689
Arngquist, John A.	Rockford	Kent Lodge	No. 689
Beck, J. G.	Rockford	Tegner Lodge	No. 799
Crowell, Geo. A.	Rockford	Kent Lodge	No. 689
James, Joseph A.	Rockford	Winnebago Lodge	No. 31

Price, Walter	Rockford	Winnebago Lodge.....	No. 31
Danielson, Oscar	Rockford	Tegner Lodge.....	No. 799
Kall, Gust. A.....	Rockford	Tegner Lodge.....	No. 799

Woodford County.

Mourer, A. J.....	Eureka	Ollo Lodge.....	No. 311
Weers, Fred	Minonk	Minonk Lodge.....	No. 377

White County.

Morgan, Ivy	Mill Shoals.....	Mill Shoals Lodge.....	No. 835
Needham, Oscar	Mill Shoals.....	Mill Shoals Lodge.....	No. 835
Justice, Mathew	Mill Shoals.....	Mill Shoals Lodge.....	No. 835
Campbell, Thos. M.....	Mill Shoals.....	Mill Shoals Lodge.....	No. 835
Hall, Leo	Mill Shoals.....	Mill Shoals Lodge.....	No. 835

Williamson County.

Wilson, J. T.....	Herrin	Herrin Lodge.....	No. 430
Yates, LeRoy C.....	Herrin	Herrin Lodge.....	No. 430
Yates, I. W.....	Herrin	Herrin Lodge.....	No. 430
Yates, R. C.....	Energy	Fordville Lodge.....	No. 1001
Jelly, Richard	Energy	Fordville Lodge.....	No. 1001
Knight, E. O.....	Marion	Marion Lodge	No. 1036
Bryan, Frank	Marion	Marion Lodge	No. 1036
Holderfield, Fred	Herrin	Herrin Lodge	No. 430
Dugger, Melvin	Herrin	Herrin Lodge	No. 430
Merideth, Arthur R.....	Herrin	Herrin Lodge	No. 430
Neber, Austin.....	Herrin	Herrin Lodge	No. 430
Storme, Wylie	Herrin	Herrin Lodge	No. 430

Wayne County.

Lyell, J. J.....	Wayne City.....	Wayne City Lodge.....	No. 558
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Will County.

Kornmeyer, Bernard E.....	Lockport	DesPlaines Lodge.....	No. 23
Goodspeed, S. A.....	Joliet	Powhan Lodge.....	No. 29

Fraternally submitted,

OWEN SCOTT,

Grand Instructor.

REPORT OF ASSISTANT GRAND INSTRUCTOR.

CHICAGO, OCT. 21, 1918.

H. M. Blood, Grand Master I. O. O. F., Chicago, Ill.

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER: It becomes my duty, as well as pleasure, to submit to you a report of my work as Assistant Grand Instructor for the year just ending; a year that seems so short as I look back upon upon it today.

Recalling the home-coming meeting held in the Second Regiment Armory, with the vast crowd of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, and the enthusiasm which emanated from it and started the year with a complete determination looking toward the goal of efficiency, the effect was to stimulate the membership to greater effort to obtain candidates, and learn the great lessons which are found in our Order.

We have certainly made a steady gain in membership in Cook County, as well as having created a profound desire to improve our work.

In conclusion I wish to thank the lodge for their courteous attention to my requests whenever called upon, and I wish also to thank you for the honor conferred on myself as one of your staff officers.

Below I give a partial list of the more important visits made by me this year:

Wednesday, January 16th, held a booster meeting at the Hall of Northern Light No. 544. Twelve lodges represented. Snow seven feet deep in front of hall.

Held a School of Instruction at Cicero Lodge No. 217, Monday, January 21st. Very pleasant meeting and good attendance.

Tuesday evening, February 5th, held the second booster meeting with Austin Park No. 645. A good attendance. The Grand Master and other Grand Officers present. Very enthusiastic meeting.

Tuesday evening, February 12th, held a booster meeting in the Hall of Golden Harmony Lodge No. 917, who also gave us their usual good work in the first degree. Fifteen candidates and twenty lodges represented.

I also visited with the Grand Master Nonpareil Lodge No. 331 and was met by a large and highly delighted delegation of representatives of lodges from the North Shore Circuit.

Wednesday, February 28th, I was with Adelphi Lodge No. 8 and witnessed Austin Park Lodge No. 645 put on the second degree in a very able manner. Dr. C. A. Robbins was present and gave us a splendid talk. Twelve lodges represented and 160 present.

Wednesday, March 13th, at Home Lodge No. 418. White City Lodge No. 878 exemplified the third degree in fine shape. Twenty-one lodges represented; 175 present.

March 30th, Cicero Lodge No. 217 held a patriotic meeting for soldiers and sailors. The hall was filled to its capacity, and a program was given by friends of the lodge. It was my pleasure to be the principal speaker of the evening.

April 5th, attended a meeting at Norden Lodge No. 699 in company with the Grand Master, and witnessed the work of Souvenir Lodge No. 831 in the initiatory degree.

Monday, April 8th, I was invited by John Ericsson Lodge No. 361 to instruct them in degree work, also April 15th and 22d for the same purpose.

Thursday, May 2d, visited Harvard Lodge of Harvard, Ill., for a School of Instruction. The initiatory degree was conferred on two candidates; afterward a school. I also examined the Deputy and Recording Secretary for Official Instructors. It seemed to be a very successful meeting.

Saturday, May 4th, as your Special Deputy I was the instituting officer for Portage Park Lodge No. 1041, which proved to be a very

successful meeting. Work was started at 3:30 P. M., and all of the degrees were given to forty-five candidates; the whole affair was completed at 12, midnight. The lodge had twenty-two charter members and forty-five candidates.

May 19th, I attended the dedication of new building and hall of Irving Park Lodge No. 190.

Tuesday evening, May 21st, I attended a booster meeting of Irving Park Lodge No. 190, which was the first meeting in the new building. The work was put on by a team made up from members of the North Shore circuit. Six candidates. There were over two hundred present.

Tuesday evening, June 14th, I attended a memorial service in company with the Grand Master at Norden Lodge No. 479.

Wednesday, July 24th, a meeting for the Grand Instructor, Owen Scott, P.G.M., held at the hall of James R. Kewley Lodge No. 1022, who exemplified the third degree. Thirty-eight lodges represented and a very successful meeting.

Thursday, July 30th visited with Ben Hur Lodge at Aurora in company of the Grand Master. A very large and enthusiastic audience was present. A banquet was held in the Hotel at which over 150 members of Aurora lodges were present.

Thursday, Sept. 12th, a School of Instruction was held at Good Samaritan Lodge No. 540. P.G.M. Owen Scott, Grand Instructor, in charge. A new feature in school work was tried out, and found to be very interesting. There were forty-six lodges represented, also two from outside jurisdictions, and about 400 present.

Monday evening, September 30th, attended a dedication of Service flag by Austin Park No. 645, which was attended by a large audience.

Tuesday evening, October 1st, I held a School of Instruction at the hall of Union No. 9, which was attended by the lodge members only. I examined one P.G. in open lodge and issued a certificate for Official Instructor.

Wednesday, October 9th, I was present at the institution of Plzen Lodge No. 272. The Grand Master was instituting officer and I acted as the Grand Herald. There were eighteen charter members and sixty-eight candidates, who had the appearance of making a successful lodge.

Monday, October 14th, a booster meeting was held in the hall of Berwyn Lodge No. 455 and a very lively meeting was the result. The Grand Master was present and gave one of his usual good speeches. Nine lodges represented; 150 present.

Several important meetings were arranged for October, but, owing to the suspending of all lodge meetings, they were cancelled.

Fraternally,

C. M. HUNT,
Assistant Grand Instructor.

FIRST REPORT BY P.G.M. CICERO J. LINDLEY, OF NO. 3.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report as follows:

On Wednesday, June 13, 1918, your committee met at the office of the Grand Secretary at Springfield for the purpose of auditing his books and accounts. We found the receipts and disbursements of his office for the six months ending April 30, 1918, were as follows:

Receipts.

November 1, 1917, to May 1, 1918.

By sale of Grand Lodge supplies.....	\$ 3,942.25
Charter fees (profit).....	2.40
Orphans' Home account:	
Received from donations and other sources....	\$2,027.75
Farm products	2,495.47
	4,523.22
Old Folks' Home account:	
Received from donations and other sources....	\$1,093.75
Farm products	1,613.66
	2,707.41
Aged Odd Fellows' fund.....	103.81
Orphans' Home Endowment funds—donations.....	1,994.84
Orphans' Home Endowment funds—repayment of loan.....	7,000.00
Old Folks' Home Endowment fund—donations.....	1,959.26
Old Folks' Home Endowment fund—repayment of loan.....	6,000.00
Soldiers' and Sailors' War Relief.....	189.86
Special relief	3,012.61
Rent account—Odd Fellows' Herald.....	75.00
Grand Lodge tax.....	31,933.70
Home tax	50,681.50
Total	\$114,125.86

Disbursements.

November 1, 1917, to May 1, 1918.

Orphans' Home—warrants drawn.....	\$ 29,869.47
Old Folks' Home—warrants drawn.....	28,129.91
Honorable Veteran Jewels—presented.....	360.00
Soldiers' and Sailors' War Relief—warrants drawn.....	199.11
Grand Lodge Sundries.....	347.50
Mileage and per diem—warrants drawn.....	15,000.00

Sovereign Grand Lodge tax.....	\$ 150.00
Printing Officers' Reports.....	797.50
Printing Daily Journals.....	289.75
Printing Grand Lodge Journals.....	1,502.75
Printing Revised Code.....	255.00
Expense of Committees.....	448.65
Schools of Instruction.....	217.69
Special Deputies	98.18
Weak Lodge Account.....	31.30
Editing Grand Lodge Journal.....	200.00
Special Relief	1,903.90
Severign Grand Lodge supplies.....	4,457.50
Grand Lodge Printing.....	1,425.05
Official Visitations	763.85
Grand Master's salary.....	600.00
Grand Master's clerk and stenographer.....	600.00
Grand Master's office expense.....	300.00
Grand Secretary's salary.....	1,250.00
Grand Secretary's clerk and stenographer.....	1,050.00
Grand Secretary's office expenses.....	2,090.91
Payment bond—Grand Treasurer and Grand Secretary.....	475.00
Orphans' Home endowment investments.....	8,408.45
Old Folks' Home endowment investments.....	11,251.70
Total	\$112,473.17

In the above receipts you will find repayment of loan of Hugh C. Clements of \$7,000.00, also repayment of part of loan of Gustave A. Doll of \$6,000 both of which amounts belong to the endowment funds of the Orphans' and Old Folks' Homes. In the disbursements you will also find that the sum of \$8,408.45 belonging to the Orphans' Home endowment fund and also the sum of \$11,251.70 belonging to the Old Folks' Home endowment fund have been invested in real estate mortgages, United States Government bonds, and bonds of school districts.

We have examined and audited the bills for the Grand Secretary's contingent expenses of his office from November 1st, 1917, to May 1st, 1918, and found the same to be as follows:

November, 1917	\$ 229.60
December, 1917	366.82
January, 1918	119.00
February, 1918	431.25
March, 1918	692.41
April, 1918	251.83
Total	\$ 2,090.91

At the time of our visitation the Grand Lodge had reimbursed the Subordinate Lodges for moneys paid for sick and funeral benefits for soldier and sailor members of the Order, as follows:

Artie O. Ledbetter, No. 191.....	\$ 77.00
(\$50.00 of same for funeral benefit.)	
J. G. Breden, No. 206.....	71.00
(\$50.00 of same for funeral benefit.)	
Clark Ballou, No. 212.....	27.00
Lawrence Rappold, No. 246.....	18.00
Kimmel B. Hillis, No. 249.....	3.00
Benjamin H. Frye, No. 291.....	9.00
Ray M. Wapler, No. 332.....	50.00
(\$50.00 of same for funeral benefit.)	
Warren E. Showers, No. 372.....	18.00
J. O. Emmons, No. 424.....	3.00
Adolph E. Jasper, No. 435	15.00
Fred N. Cain, No. 576.....	90.00
Eric G. Anderson, No. 584.....	41.00
Louis P. Daniels, No. 590.....	16.00
Reinhold C. Weise, No. 603.....	18.00
Carl H. Batson, No. 704.....	9.00
J. P. Johnson, No. 718.....	21.00
Roy Thomas, No. 782.....	8.00
Julius S. Creswell, No. 826.....	21.00
Charles P. Powless, No. 863.....	9.00
Daniel Hilliard, No. 919.....	9.00
Earl M. Ewerett, No. 935.....	24.00
Louis S. Barnett, No. 975.....	6.00
John V. Dappert, No. 1006.....	9.00

Total\$ 572.00

The following Lodges were delinquent in the matter of capitation tax and reports on April 30, 1918: Nos. 53, 78, 117, 129, 175, 177, 178, 216, 228, 248, 273, 310, 339, 360, 365, 393, 399, 405, 406, 425, 428, 437, 439, 443, 472, 481, 487, 489, 497, 505, 520, 525, 535, 536, 545, 595, 612, 623, 628, 642, 676, 678, 681, 682, 706, 707, 713, 724, 733, 737, 739, 744, 746, 755, 764, 765, 773, 814, 844, 881, 887, 891, 907, 924, 925, 926, 928, 929, 936, 938, 950, 961, 993, 1008, 1012, 1021, 1022.

The following lodges, which were delinquent on November 1st, 1917, in the matter of capitation tax, are still delinquent: Nos. 248, 239, 360, 393, 422, 437, 481, 733, 737, 739, 755, 764, 765, 781, 887, 928.

Fraternally submitted,

CICERO J. LINDLEY,
JAMES EWING DAVIS,

Report adopted.

GEORGE F. KOESTER,
Finance Committee.

SECOND REPORT BY BROTHER GEORGE F. KOESTER OF NO. 601.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report as follows:

We made our semi-annual visit to the office of our Grand Treasurer, M. P. Berry, at Carthage, Illinois, Thursday, June 13th, 1918, for the purpose of auditing his books and accounts. We checked them, verifying his statement of receipts and disbursements, and give herewith a summary of same, showing cash and securities in his possession at this time.

We recommend that all cancelled vouchers paid by the Grand Treasurer be filed with the Grand Secretary for future reference.

Receipts.

November 1, 1917, to May 1, 1918.

Cash on hand as per last report.....\$ 64,398.73
Received from Grand Secretary as follows:

General fund	\$ 35,953.35	
Special Relief fund.....	3,012.61	
Aged Odd Fellows' fund.....	103.81	
Old Folks' Home fund.....	2,707.41	
Old Folks' Home Endowment fund.....	7,959.26	
Orphans' Home fund.....	4,523.22	
Orphans' Home Endowment fund.....	8,994.84	
Home Tax fund.....	50,681.50	
Soldiers' and Sailors' War Relief.....	189.86	
		114,125.86

Old Folks' Home Endowment fund:

Balance Gustav Doll note.....	300.00
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Interest collected:

Old Folks' Home interest a/c.....	\$ 1,631.50
Orphans' Home interest a/c.....	1,963.40
	3,594.90

General fund:

Mileage and per diem refund—amount not required of \$15,000 M. & P. D. voucher.....	436.80
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Total receipts\$182,856.29

Disbursements.

November 1, 1917, to May 1, 1918.

General fund	\$ 32,710.63
Special Relief	1,886.40

Old Folks' Home fund.....	\$ 28,104.37
Old Folks' Home Endowment fund.....	11,050.00
Old Folks' Home interest a/c.....	201.70
Orphans' Home fund.....	29,869.47
Orphans' Home Endowment fund.....	8,000.00
Orphans' Home interest a/c.....	408.45
Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief.....	199.11
	\$112,430.13

Also the following 1917 vouchers:

General fund—

No. 4076—A. Otis Arnold.....\$ 17.32

Special Relief—

No. 4072—Mrs. Chas. Anderson..... 5.00

22.32

\$112,452.45

Cash balance on hand May 1, 1918.....\$ 70,403.84

After transferring the following out of Home Tax fund to—

Old Folks' Home (one-half 1918 appropriation).....\$ 23,000.00

Orphans' Home (one-half 1918 appropriation)..... 22,000.00

Out of Special Relief fund to—

Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief fund..... 5,000.00

Out of General fund to—

Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief fund (one-half 1918 Appr.)..... 20,000.00

Leaves balance in hands of Grand Treasurer in accounts as follows:

General Fund	\$ 27,307.41
Orphans' Home fund.....	1,752.46
Old Folks' Home fund.....	682.81
Orphans' Home Endowment fund.....	1,050.81
Old Folks' Home Endowment fund.....	313.35
Old Folks' Home Trust fund.....	4.00
Orphans' Home Excursion fund.....	254.88
Aged Odd Fellows' fund.....	2,336.40
Old Folks' Home Building fund.....	373.72
Interest Account Old Folks' Home Endowment fund.....	1,631.50
Interest Account Orphans' Home Endowment fund.....	1,963.40
Special Relief fund.....	2,060.85
Illinois Odd Fellows' Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief fund.....	24,990.75
Home Tax fund.....	5,681.50

Total\$ 70,403.84

The following vouchers issued during past six months are still unpaid:



Mr. C. A. Robbins

Grand Warden,
Dixon.

Old Folks' Home.

No. 4785—Wheat Med. Co.....	\$ 12.54
No. 4791—A. J. Mourer.....	13.00
	\$25.54

Special Relief.

No. 4809—W. I. Ross.....	\$ 10.00
No. 4810—Mrs. Charles Anderson.....	7.50
	17.50
Total	\$43.04

Also the following vouchers previously issued are still unpaid:

Old Folks' Home.

No. 2104—McCusker & Albert.....	\$31.62
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Orphans' Home.

No. 3311—Wm. Vopel	\$ 9.00
No. 3531—Deaconess Hospital	7.90
	16.90
Total	\$48.52

During the past six months the following investments were paid up:

Old Folks' Home Endowment fund:

Gustav A. Doll, 5 per cent mortgage.....\$6,300.00

Orphans' Home Endowment fund:

Hugh C. Clements, 5 per cent mortgage.....\$7,000.00

—and the following new investments were made:

Old Folks' Home Endowment fund:

School Dist. No. 57, Lawrence County, 6 per cent bonds....\$3,500.00

Third Liberty Loan bonds.....7,550.00

Orphans' Home Endowment fund:

School Dist. No. 57, Lawrence County, 6 per cent bonds....\$1,000.00

James and Joseph McBride, 5½ per cent mortgage.....7,000.00

Since May 1, 1918, the Grand Treasurer has collected the following:

Old Folks' Home, interest account.....\$ 155.00

—and disbursed the following:

General fund	\$ 1,122.60
Special Relief	207.50
Old Folks' Home fund.....	3,857.71
Orphans' Home fund.....	5,151.17

Soldiers' and Sailors' War fund.....	\$ 777.52
Soldiers' and Sailors' War fund invested Third Lib-	
erty Loan	20,000.00

Total disbursed\$ 31,116.50

Deducting above difference from balance of \$70,403.84 on hand May 1st, 1918, leaves a balance of \$39,442.34, for which the Grand Treasurer exhibited to us the following evidence:

Cashier's Check No. 17,352, dated June 12, 1918, Quincy, Illinois, of State Savings Loan & Trust Co., payable to M. P. Berry, Treasurer I. O. O. F., for \$30,000.00, signed S. B. Montgomery, President.

Certificate of Deposit No. 4601, dated Carthage, Illinois, June 13, 1918, of Dime Savings Bank, payable to M. P. Berry, Grand Treasurer, I. O. O. F., for \$9,442.34, signed R. W. Saer, Vice-President.

The following is a list of securities in his possession on May 1, 1918:

Old Folks' Home Endowment fund—

Roy Erickson—6 per cent mortgage.....	\$ 1,900.00
Frank Ives—5 per cent mortgage.....	8,000.00
A. C. Sells, 5½ per cent mortgage.....	5,500.00
Ida M. Darnall—5 per cent (net) mortgage	3,100.00
Emmett G. Thompson—5 per cent mortgage	2,000.00

Total mortgages.....\$ 20,500.00

Jacksonville 4 per cent bonds.....	\$ 2,000.00
Henderson Co. 6 per cent Drainage bonds.....	500.00
Scott Co. 6 per cent Drainage bonds.....	4,000.00
Peoria 3½ per cent Park bonds.....	2,000.00
Auburn Township 5 per cent School bonds.....	2,000.00
Rushville 5 per cent paving bonds.....	3,700.00
Georgetown 5 per cent Improvement bonds.....	1,500.00
School Dist. No. 57, Lawrence County, 6 per cent	
bonds	3,500.00
Third Liberty loan, 4¼ per cent bonds.....	7,550.00

Total bonds\$ 26,750.00

Total mortgages and bonds in Old Folks' Home Endowment fund\$ 47,250.00

Orphans' Home Endowment fund—

Margaret A. Morse, 5½ per cent mortgage..	\$ 5,000.00
Isabelle Hubbell, 6 per cent mortgage.....	3,300.00
Carl V. Hansen, 5½ per cent mortgage....	8,000.00
Christian J. Blackert, 5 per cent mortgage	7,000.00
Emmett G. Thompson, 5 per cent mortgage	2,000.00

James and Joseph McBride, 5½ per cent mortgage	\$ 7,000.00
Total mortgages	\$ 32,300.00
United States 3 per cent bonds.....	\$ 1,240.00
Jacksonville 4 per cent bonds.....	4,000.00
Scott Co. 6 per cent Drainage bonds.....	2,000.00
Peoria 3½ per cent Park bonds.....	1,000.00
Auburn Township 5 per cent School bonds	2,500.00
School District No. 57, Lawrence County, 6 per cent bonds.....	1,000.00
Total bonds	\$ 11,740.00

Total mortgages and bonds in Orphans' Home Endowment fund \$ 44,040.00

Recapitulation.

Total cash, sundry accounts.....\$ 70,403.84
Securities—

Old Folks' Home Endowment fund..... 47,250.00
Orphans' Home Endowment fund..... 44,040.00

Total cash and securities.....\$161,693.84

Fraternally submitted.

GEORGE F. KOESTER,
JAMES EWING DAVIS,
CICERO J. LINDLEY,

Committee.

Report adopted.

REPORT OF GRAND WARDEN.

BLOOMINGTON, ILL., Oct. 30, 1918.

Hon. H. M. Blood, Grand Master I. O. O. F., Chicago, Ill.:

MY DEAR BROTHER BLOOD: Your favor of recent date asking me to send you a report of my work as Grand Warden during the year is being complied with in a short report.

The war has imposed upon business men great duties which are not common in normal times. Many of us who are vitally interested in the work of Odd Fellowship have been deprived of the privilege of doing that which we would like to have done had not conditions in hiring help been different so we could have left home. However, I have had the pleasure of meeting with the Brethren in a number of places, where I found the Odd Fellows enthusiastic and the interest in the work very manifest.

I have attended Special Sessions of the Grand Lodge at Cuba, Lexington, Decatur and Bloomington. I have also attended meetings at Peoria, Farmer City, LeRoy, Normal, Ottawa and Jacksonville. In all these places the attendance was good and the meetings interesting.

I have met with the Board of Directors of the Orphans' Home on several occasions, by their request. These busy business men are proving their worth in the splendid manner in which they are administering to the needs and care of the Home. Odd Fellows' Orphans' Home, mentioned by an Odd Fellow or Rebekah, causes many a pulse to quicken, the eye to brighten—yea, to moisten. It contains those nearest to our hearts. It throws out its protecting wings to those who know not how soon one beloved of them may seek shelter within its walls.

I appreciate, Grand Master, the very high honor of being one of your cabinet officers. While I have not had the opportunity of helping you as I would like to have done, I have done the best I could under existing circumstances.

I shall always cherish in fond memory your friendship to me. You are to be congratulated by every Odd Fellow in this state for your splendid administration and the great and good work you have accomplished. You have given unstintingly of your time, energy and knowledge, and the spirit in which it was given makes it the more appreciative.

Wishing you many more years of joyful and helpful life, I am,
Sincerely and fraternally yours,

JOHN W. BIRNEY,
Grand Warden.

TWENTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Odd Fellows' Orphans' Home
LINCOLN, ILLINOIS

Board of Directors.

Arthur G. Nauman, 31 N. State St., Chairman.....	Chicago
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J. H. Steiner.....	Quincy
W. R. McGaughey.....	Mt. Zion

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Mrs. Myrtle Tandy, P.P.....	Jacksonville
Mrs. Lura B. Latham, P.P.....	Eldorado
Mrs. Arletta Lopp.....	Mt. Carmel

Superintendent.

J. A. Lucas, P.G.R.....	Lincoln
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Matron.

Mrs. J. A. Lucas.....	Lincoln
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Medical Staff.

Dr. F. M. Hagans, Physician and Surgeon.....	Lincoln
Dr. A. E. Prince, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.....	Springfield
Dr. Pearl Parks, Dentist.....	Lincoln

INTRODUCTION

*Hon. H. M. Blood, Grand Master, Independent Order of Odd Fellows,
Jurisdiction of Illinois:*

GRAND MASTER: Complying with the law of the Order, the Directors of the Orphans' Home present herewith a complete report of their work during the year ending October 1, 1918.

Improvements.

No extraordinary improvements were needed during the past year, and so far as we know, none will be required during the coming year. It will be necessary in the near future to do considerable repairing and remodeling of the Administration Building, but it is not deemed advisable to ask that it be done during the present emergency, while prices are so high and material is so scarce. It has been the policy of the Board to make repairs as needed, and some repair work and painting have been done for the protection of the buildings.

The most noticeable improvement at the Home was made, by the Rebekahs, when they refurnished the reception parlors in the Administration Building. The furniture in these rooms had been used for many years, and was decidedly worn and shabby. In April, 1917, Sister Cora Neff Phillips, then President of the Assembly, sent out a letter to the Rebekah lodges, asking for contributions to pay the expense of refurnishing these rooms. More than three hundred lodges responded and ample funds were secured. New hardwood floors were put in, the walls were decorated and new furniture and rugs installed. The rooms are now a credit to the Home and will have an influence for good on all the members of the Home. Great credit is due to Sisters Phillips and Cooper, to the members of the Advisory Board and to the Rebekah lodges of the State for this much needed improvement.

Swimming Pool.

During the past summer, Grand Patriarch Walter J. North, remembering the days of his boyhood, conceived the idea that a swimming pool would be a welcome improvement at the Home. After consultation with the Directors, Superintendent and others, it was decided to prepare a pool in the basement of the Administration Building, adjoining the shower bath room. The Grand Patriarch sent out an appeal

to the Encampments for contributions, and nearly one hundred Encampments and a number of individuals responded, the total amount received being nearly \$600.00. The pool has been prepared except the installation of heating facilities, and that will be completed soon. The thanks of the Home are due to Grand Patriarch North and to the Encampments and brothers who made this improvement possible.

Appointment of Committees.

Early in the year the Board decided that the work of the Board could be more efficiently conducted by committees appointed to have charge of certain lines of work and on whom responsibility should rest. Committees were appointed with chairmen as follows:

House Equipment and Supplies—A. G. Nauman, Chairman.
Education, Physical Development, Etc.—John H. Steiner, Chairman.
Farm, Stock, Farm Equipment, Etc.—W. R. McGaughey, Chairman.
Applications and Admissions,—William H. Pease, Chairman.
Records, Accounts and Legal Matters—J. J. Crowder.

Matters frequently come before the Superintendent in the interim between meetings which require attention and on which the members of the Board should be consulted. The appointment of the above committees enables the Superintendent to act promptly and makes it possible for the Board to render greater service to the Home and to the Order. The members of the Board are well satisfied with the experiment and believe that added efficiency has been the result.

The Farm.

Early in the year Past Grand Master Hubbard resigned as a member of the Board that he might give his entire time to governmental work. The Grand Master appointed Brother W. R. McGaughey, of Mt. Zion, Macon County, as his successor. Being a practical farmer, Brother McGaughey has been able to do much to make the Farm more productive and profitable. Cash receipts from the Farm during the past year were \$3,659.82, compared with receipts of \$1,578.38 in 1917. Good crops have been raised, as is shown by the sale of 407 bushels of wheat from ten acres of land.

The Board has expended more than six hundred dollars during the past year in tiling and ditching the "lower eighty." This will materially benefit a large part of the land, but a small part of it cannot be well drained until a Drainage District is organized, as the only drainage is through property whose owners will not permit an outlet. This drainage project will doubtless be carried out as soon as normal conditions return.

Admission of Half Orphans.

It will be remembered that at one time the Grand Lodge ordered that half orphans should be admitted to the Home on the same terms as full orphans, but at the session of 1914, and again in 1915, the Grand Lodge decided that "in admitting half orphans to the Home the Board of Directors should exercise the greatest care and caution; they should be governed by the most rigid rules and admit only those who are practically full orphans." (See Journal, Grand Lodge of Illinois, 1914, Document No. 6, pages 319-321; also, Journal of 1915, page 78.)

The Directors have conscientiously tried to follow this rule of the Grand Lodge, and in every case, where the application is for the admission of a half orphan, have tried to determine whether or not the child is "practically a full orphan." Great difficulty has been found, however, in applying the rule. Some lodges and members seem to think that any member, who has motherless children, has a perfect right to place them in the Home if he so desires. It is easy to find an excuse for a brother who wishes to be relieved of the care of his motherless children, and easier yet to find a reason why the Board should admit half orphans whose mother is living.

We have had applications from men and women who were well able to provide for their children but wished to be free from the responsibility. We have had applications from brothers who wished to place their children in the Home while the father sought work at higher wages in another state. We have had applications for the admission of children where both parents are living but were divorced or separated. Also from Rebekahs for the admission of children whose father is living and not a member of the Order. Until the Grand Lodge shall revise the rules concerning admission, the Board will continue to use its best judgment and fit the rule as best it can to each particular case. This is probably the best way to settle these unusual questions.

Contributions for Care of Children.

The members of the Board have felt that parents and guardians, when able to do so, should contribute to the Home, at least a part of the expense, and have insisted that payments should be made according to agreement, whenever possible. The result has been that collections for the care of children have increased from \$2,673.25 in 1917 to \$3,906.03 in 1918, an increase of nearly fifty per cent. It has not been the desire of the Board to cause any hardship to any one, but when a parent or guardian can pay part of the expense, we see no reason why the payment should not be made. If the child is received into the Home, certainly the parent is relieved of the expense at home

and should be willing to pay part of the expense, if possible. We believe that each one should contribute according to his or her ability and have so insisted during the year.

Children of Non-Beneficiary Members.

A letter was received from the Trustees of Tri City Lodge No. 1031, stating that a member of that lodge had died soon after his initiation, and before he became a beneficiary member of the lodge, and asking if his children were eligible to the Home. The question was submitted to the Grand Sire, who answered that it was a question for the Grand Lodge of Illinois to decide. The Grand Master was then asked for a decision, in order that it might be submitted to the Grand Lodge for decision. The decision of the Grand Master was that the children should be admitted to the Home, "if otherwise eligible," and it is the hope of the Directors that the Grand Lodge will approve the decision.

Patriotic Action.

The last report of the Home stated that thirty-three of the former Home boys had joined the Colors, and were doing their part in the great struggle for liberty and human rights. Since that report was written, others of our boys have offered themselves, and now sixty-six names have a place on our Honor Roll. Four of these are indicated by gold stars, showing that Gus Voight, Curtis Thackson, Joe Abrahamson and John Tippet have made the supreme sacrifice.

The following former Home boys are known to be in the service:

Honor Roll.

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| 1. Sergt. Paul Kniss. | 15. Lin Larison. |
| 2. Earl Garbett. | 16. Jos. Abrahamson (died in camp). |
| 3. Gus Voight (died in camp). | 17. Louis Banært (wounded). |
| 4. Sergt. Clinton Campbell. | 18. Marvin Butler. |
| 5. William Jones. | 19. John Richards. |
| 6. Richard Rezanka. | 20. Clark Purcell. |
| 7. Robert Pause. | 21. Lieut. John Heyl (wounded). |
| 8. Francis Weimer (wounded). | 22. Lovejoy Lyle. |
| 9. Stephen Gaskill. | 23. William Schneider. |
| 10. James Gaskill. | 24. William Lyle. |
| 11. John Tippet (died of wounds). | 25. Oscar Sheets. |
| 12. William Wilson. | 26. Maurice Weddington. |
| 13. William Pitchers. | 27. Emil Gerkie. |
| 14. Robert Bensing. | |

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| 28. Leslie Sheets. | 47. Wallace Williams. |
| 29. Raymond Haga (discharged
for physical disability). | 48. Oscar Madsen. |
| 30. George Kanak. | 49. Segurd Carlstrom. |
| 31. Carter Anderson. | 50. Roy Rowley. |
| 32. Dewey Beggs. | 51. Jesse Weimer. |
| 33. Newell Shelton. | 52. Robert Brown. |
| 34. Charles Newman. | 53. Roy McCullough. |
| 35. Roy Flint. | 54. Hans Slack. |
| 36. Wilfred Jayne. | 55. Walter Williams. |
| 37. Noble Kniss. | 56. Edward Sheets. |
| 38. Vernon Bennett. | 57. Frank Haroldson. |
| 39. Ray Rice. | 58. Charles Underwood. |
| 40. Harry Griffin. | 59. Norman Radford. |
| 41. Laurie Leonard. | 60. Charles Baird. |
| 42. Curtis Thackson (killed in
action). | 61. Frank Nounzie. |
| 43. Frank Bangart. | 62. James Anderson. |
| 44. Harry Scott. | 63. Farrant Crawford. |
| 45. Melvin West. | 64. Paul Phares (discharged for
physical disability). |
| 46. Elmer White (discharged for
physical disability). | 65. Henry Lewis. |
| | 66. Frank Kniss. |

The following is a list of all the children in our Home Oct. 1, 1918, together with the age, date of admission, name and number of the Lodge certifying to them:

Date.	Name.	Where From.	Age.	Lodge.
1905.				
Oct. 31	Harry T. Wickersham.....	St. Elmo.....	2	Fayette 436.
1907.				
Nov. 15	Marvin Butler.....	Prairie City.....	8	McDonough 205.
" 15	Helen Butler.....	Prairie City.....	6	McDonough 205.
" 25	Eula Grimes.....	Brookport.....	5	Brookport 621.
" 25	Winifred Grimes.....	Brookport.....	4	Brookport 621.
" 25	Pearl Grimes.....	Brookport.....	2	Brookport 621.
Dec. 26	Mary Jones.....	Braceville.....	2	Braceville 679.
1908.				
Feb. 23	Leila White.....	Findlay.....	4	Findlay 671.
" 23	Lucile White.....	Findlay.....	3	Findlay 671.
March 12	Jesse Lipsey.....	St. Elmo.....	4	Fayette 436.
July 1	Oran Radford.....	Braceville.....	4	Braceville 679.
1909.				
Jan. 8	Lester Carlson.....	Monmouth.....	4	Monmouth 577.
" 8	Donald Cooper.....	Mt. Pulaski.....	4	Mt. Pulaski 454.
Dec. 3	Luella Denny.....	Litchfield.....	6	Adair 334.
" 29	Raymond Dillman.....	Willow Hill.....	5	Willow Hill 884.
1910				
Oct. 15	Lowell Brown.....	Tilton.....	6	Tilton 131.
Nov. 14	Wesley Wiberg.....	Chicago.....	6	Souvenir 831.
1911.				
Jan. 30	Thurlow Harris.....	Holidayboro.....	7	Herrin 430.
" 30	Ethel Harris.....	Holidayboro.....	5	Herrin 430.
Feb. 8	Alta Dellitt.....	Reynolds.....	6	Millersburg 267.
May 1	Winnie Simpson.....	Metcalf.....	6	Metcalf 635.
" 1	Margaret Simpson.....	Metcalf.....	3	Metcalf 635.
" 10	Dolly Hanch.....	Chicago.....	8	Praha 231.
" 14	Fern Tolar.....	East St. Louis.....	8	Golden Rule 374.
Aug. 14	Dorothy Murray.....	Hoopeston.....	6	Hoopeston 498.
" 14	Charlie Murray.....	Hoopeston.....	3	Hoopeston 498.
Oct. 10	Floyd Fowler.....	Marion.....	8	Veitch 136.
" 10	Troy Fowler.....	Marion.....	6	Veitch 136.
" 16	Alfred Magnussen.....	Chicago.....	9	White City 878.
1912.				
Feb. 9	Edgar Dobbs.....	Dix.....	6	Rome 394.
" 9	Opal Dobbs.....	Dix.....	4	Rome 394.
Apr. 4	William McGill.....	Lovington.....	3	Lovington 593.
" 4	Anna Cherry McGill.....	Lovington.....	2	Lovington 593.
1913.				
Jan. 18	Clarence W. Meyer.....	Chicago.....	8	Colfax 198.
Apr. 19	Laura Trimmer.....	Decatur.....	9	Decatur 65.
May 5	Hazel M. Ca.....	Metropolis.....	10	Massac 442.
" 5	Bertha L. C.....	Metropolis.....	8	Massac 442.
June 1	Robert Wiggins.....	Peoria.....	10	Port Clark 109.
1913.				
Aug. 8	Cecelia Weinstein.....	Chicago.....	5	Southwestern 484.
" 8	Abraham Weinstein.....	Chicago.....	4	Southwestern 484.
" 16	Ruth A. Herrin.....	Herrin.....	9	Herrin 430.
" 16	Pauline B. Herrin.....	Herrin.....	7	Herrin 430.
" 18	Henry O. Karr.....	Vandalia.....	9	Vandalia 422.
Sept. 26	Vivian McGuire.....	Sumner.....	9	Sumner 249.
" 26	Earl McGuire.....	Sumner.....	7	Sumner 249.
" 26	Hazel McGuire.....	Sumner.....	6	Sumner 249.
1914				
Jan. 14	Geneva Lamb.....	Fairmount.....	11	Fairmount 973.
" 14	Cleta Pearl Lamb.....	Fairmount.....	8	Fairmount 973.
March 2	George Beaumont.....	Chicago.....	7	Nonpareil 331.
Apr. 2	Lenore Mackey.....	Arenzville.....	8	Arenzville 481.
" 2	Charles Mackey.....	Arenzville.....	6	Arenzville 481.
" 2	Hazel Mackey.....	Arenzville.....	4	Arenzville 481.

Date.	Name.	Where From.	Age.	Lodge.
May 10	Francis E. Hobbs.....	Armstrong.....	9	Armstrong 553.
" 29	Edith Adler.....	Chicago.....	9	Golden Harmony 917.
" 29	Abe Adler.....	Chicago.....	7	Golden Harmony 917.
July 22	Annie M. Hammel.....	Eldorado.....	10	Eldorado 375.
" 22	Mary B. Hammel.....	Eldorado.....	7	Eldorado 375.
" 25	Evelyn Singdahlsen.....	Chicago.....	7	Prosperity 782.
" 25	Signe P. Singdahlsen.....	Chicago.....	5	Prosperity 782.
Aug. 15	Franklin Snyder.....	Martinsville.....	7	Martinsville 1
Sept. 7	Evelyn L. Legge.....	Kenney.....	9	Maroa 314.
" 7	Carl L. Legge.....	Kenney.....	6	Maroa 314.
" 7	Hazel E. Legge.....	Kenney.....	4	Maroa 314.
" 23	Ellis Voyles.....	Mt. Olive.....	5	Acme 707.
" 23	Lee Voyles.....	Mt. Olive.....	4	Acme 707.
1914				
Oct. 21	Jessie Antle.....	Ashland.....	10	Oak 341.
" 24	Elsie Casner.....	Richview.....	10	Richview 952.
" 24	Retha Casner.....	Richview.....	7	Richview 952.
" 24	Alice Casner.....	Richview.....	4	Richview 952.
Nov. 4	Edward Loyd.....	Centralia.....	10	Metropolitan 108.
" 4	Charles Loyd.....	Centralia.....	8	Metropolitan 108.
" 4	Ruth Loyd.....	Centralia.....	6	Metropolitan 108.
" 4	Elza Loyd.....	Centralia.....	5	Metropolitan 108.
" 4	Suerman Loyd.....	Centralia.....	2	Metropolitan 108.
" 5	Rose Weinstein.....	Chicago.....	3	Southwestern 481.
" 11	Helen Thompson.....	Chicago.....	2	Cook 240.
Dec. 19	Dorothy Pierce.....	Springfield.....	9	Sangamon 6.
" 19	Clara Pierce.....	Springfield.....	6	Sangamon 6.
1915				
Jan. 20	Evelyn Harben.....	Benton.....	11	Charity 284.
" 20	Lula Harben.....	Benton.....	9	Charity 284.
" 20	Harold Harben.....	Benton.....	6	Charity 284.
" 20	William Harben.....	Benton.....	5	Charity 284.
June 2	Alfred Auler.....	Peru.....	12	Mokena 34.
" 2	Raymond Auler.....	Peru.....	8	Mokena 34.
Sept. 20	Thelma Dash.....	Clinton.....	11	Olive 98.
" 20	Dorathia Dash.....	Clinton.....	9	Olive 98.
" 20	Volta Dash.....	Clinton.....	7	Olive 98.
" 20	Oren Dash.....	Clinton.....	6	Olive 98.
1915.				
Sept. 20	Lillian Dash.....	Clinton.....	3	Olive 98.
Oct. 30	Mabel Antle.....	Ashland.....	6	Ashland 341
Nov. 5	Agnes Newton.....	E. St. Louis.....	7	Golden Rule 374
" 5	Opal Newton.....	E. St. Louis.....	5	Golden Rule 374
" 5	Mildred Newton.....	E. St. Louis.....	3	Golden Rule 374
" 19	Carl Snider.....	Herrin.....	9	Fordville 1001.
" 19	Ethel Snider.....	Herrin.....	7	Fordville 1001.
Dec. 2	Clifford Giberson.....	Springfield.....	9	Sangamon 6.
" 2	Alice Giberson.....	Springfield.....	4	Sangamon 6.
1916.				
Jan. 19	Oswald Kraay.....	Ashkum.....	7	Ashkum 580. (Cond).
" 19	Mildred Kraay.....	Ashkum.....	5	Ashkum 580. (Cond).
" 19	Marie Kraay.....	Ashkum.....	3	Ashkum 580. (Cond).
Apr. 11	Reda Lamb.....	Fairmount.....	8	Fairmount 973.
" 11	Nellie Lamb.....	Fairmount.....	5	Fairmount 973.
May 4	Dollie Holmes.....	Carrier Mills.....	11	Vera 551.
" 4	Bennie Holmes.....	Carrier Mills.....	9	Vera 551.
June 3	Virginia Croon.....	Chicago.....	6	Three Links 812.
" 3	Garfield Croon.....	Chicago.....	4	Three Links 812.
July 1	Robert Diekey.....	Chicago.....	9	Home 416.
" 20	Robert Fulk.....	La Place.....	9	La Place 787.
" 20	Phyllis Fulk.....	La Place.....	7	La Place 787.
Sept. 25	Eugene Baggott.....	Herrin.....	8	Fordville 1001.
" 25	Max Snyder.....	Keyesport.....	8	Sherwood 879.
" 25	Flo Wade.....	Keyesport.....	10	Sherwood 879.
" 28	Mary Littlejohn.....	Divernon.....	9	Divernon 200.
" 28	Estella Littlejohn.....	Divernon.....	7	Divernon 200.
" 28	Lawrence Littlejohn.....	Divernon.....	4	Divernon 200.
" 30	Hosea Hindman.....	Herrin.....	12	Herrin 430.

Date.	Name.	Where From.	Age.	Lodge.
"	30 Alice Hindman.....	Herrin.....	10	Herrin 430.
"	30 Hubert Hindman.....	Herrin.....	9	Herrin 430.
"	30 Herbert Hindman.....	Herrin.....	9	Herrin 430.
Oct.	4 Paul Tumbleson.....	West Frankfort..	7	Olive Leaf 738
"	5 Margaret Myers.....	Aledo.....	10	Aledo 236
"	5 William Myers.....	Aledo.....	8	Aledo 236
"	20 Majorie Ray.....	Gibson City.....	9	Gibson City 542
"	20 Kenneth Ray.....	Gibson City.....	7	Gibson City 542
Nov.	26 Paul Sollars.....	Golconda.....	10	Herod 932
"	26 Thos. Sollars.....	Golconda.....	8	Herod 932
"	26 Charles Sollars.....	Golconda.....	6	Herod 932
"	26 Bernice Sollars.....	Golconda.....	4	Herod 932
1917				
Jan.	8 Mildred Harford.....	Jacksonville.....	9	Bentley 412
"	8 George Harford.....	Jacksonville.....	7	Bentley 412
"	8 Hazel Harford.....	Jacksonville.....	5	Bentley 412
"	8 Lela Harford.....	Jacksonville.....	3	Bentley 412
Feb.	27 Samuel Scott.....	Capron.....	9	Capron 776
Mar.	31 Lake Stewart.....	Golden.....	10	LaClyde 270
May	31 Opal Louise Brown.....	Springfield.....	11	Teutonia 166
"	31 Wm. Alfred Brown.....	Springfield.....	6	Teutonia 166
July	7 Kenneth Lind.....	Moline.....	9	Swedish Olive 583
"	7 Donald Lind.....	Moline.....	6	Swedish Olive 583
"	7 Ernest Lind.....	Moline.....	4	Swedish Olive 583
Aug.	30 Anna Margaret Adams.....	Maroa.....	10	Forsythe 700
Sept.	2 Everett Hissong.....	Peru.....	9	Mokena 34
"	2 Lucille Hissong.....	Peru.....	7	Mokena 34
"	2 Harvey Hindman.....	Herrin.....	6	Herrin 430
"	2 Philip Hindman.....	Herrin.....	5	Herrin 430
"	3 Caroline O. Turner.....	Leroy.....	11	Leroy 149
"	3 Opal Pearl Turner.....	Leroy.....	9	Leroy 149
Nov.	19 Imogene Edwards.....	Crab Orchard.....	10	Crab Orchard 475.
1918.				
Jan.	17 Goldie Johnson.....	Chicago.....	10	Three Links 812.
"	17 Reuben Johnson.....	Chicago.....	8	Three Links 812.
"	17 Albert Johnson.....	Chicago.....	6	Three Links 812.
Mar.	20 Homer Collier.....	Moweaqua.....	11	Moweaqua 274.
"	20 Ola Collier.....	Moweaqua.....	8	Moweaqua 274.
Apr.	29 Eugenia Capizzani.....	Chicago.....	8	G. Carducci 948.
"	29 Norma Capizzani.....	Chicago.....	6	G. Carducci 948.
"	29 Angelo Capizzani.....	Chicago.....	4	G. Carducci 948.
May	9 Frankie Rye.....	Cartersville.....	4	Cartersville 703.
"	9 Jessie Rye.....	Cartersville.....	6	Cartersville 703.
July	26 Annie McKinney.....	Eldorado.....	8	Eldorado 375.
"	26 Novella McKinney.....	Eldorado.....	6	Eldorado 375.
"	26 Clyde McKinney.....	Eldorado.....	3	Eldorado 375.
"	28 Margaret Anderson.....	Chicago.....	6	Berwyn 455.
Aug.	13 Dorothy Castner.....	Chicago.....	11	Souvenir 831.
"	13 Fred Castner.....	Chicago.....	8	Souvenir 831.
"	13 Carmi Castner.....	Chicago.....	6	Souvenir 831.
"	13 Carl Castner.....	Chicago.....	4	Souvenir 831.
"	16 Arthur Frederickson.....	Joliet.....	11	Powham 29.
"	16 Lester Frederickson.....	Joliet.....	8	Powham 29.
"	31 Wm. Warren Brown.....	Jacksonville.....	11	Illini 4.
Sept.	2 Orville Linney.....	Oregon.....	11	Oregon 94.
"	14 Clara Ewing.....	Dorchester.....	11	Pilgrim 944.
"	14 Mary Ewing.....	Dorchester.....	8	Pilgrim 944.
"	14 Sarah Ewing.....	Dorchester.....	6	Pilgrim 944.

During the past year the following children have been dismissed from the Home and provided for as follows:

Martin Comatov, to mother.

Minnie Lamb, to guardian.

Eugene and Eunice Wood, to guardian.

Donald Rucker, to mother.

Aileen Quick, to guardian.	Gerald Henderson, to father.
Reva Lucille Harris, to mother.	Amos Johnson, to father.
Frances Horn, to mother.	Grace Johnson, to father.
Ralph Quick, to guardian.	Ida Weinstein, to mother.
Neil Quick, to guardian.	Wilhelmina Wiberg, to guardian.
Irvin Quick, to guardian.	George Lipsey, to guardian.
Mathew Theves, to mother.	Fred Tolar, to mother.
Catherine Theves, to mother.	Kenneth Rucker, to mother.
Wilhelmina Theves, to mother.	Herbert Wiggins, to father.
Lawrence Easton, to father.	Melva Radford, to guardian.
Edith Easton, to father.	Anita Mariconi, to mother.
Leona Easton, to father.	Charles Karr, to father.
Florence Mariconi, mother.	Eddy Eudy, to guardian.
Mildred Wellons, to mother.	Robert Hernbeck, to lodge.
Eva Murray, to father.	Sam Thompson, to mother.
Alma Cooper, to guardian.	Anna Rousch, to guardian.
Emma Simpson, to father.	

Summary.

Number of children dismissed since last report.....	31
Number of children admitted since last report.....	26
Total number admitted since Home opened Jan. 26, 1893.....	796
Total number deceased.....	9
Number in Home Oct. 1, 1918.....	173
Number of girls in the Home.....	98
Number of boys in the Home.....	75
Average for the year.....	184

Our School.

Our School compares favorably with the best schools of Illinois. Two years ago the Grand Lodge appropriated \$15,000.00 for the remodeling of the building. The building is now modern in every way and complies with the Illinois School Law in regard to heating, lighting, seating, ventilation and sanitation.

A splendid interest has been manifested by both teachers and pupils, and excellent work has been done. The eighth-grade graduating class this year was one of the largest in the history of the School.

Eighteen boys and girls were graduated from the eighth grade this year and were presented diplomas by Supt. J. A. Lucas, entitling them to admission to any high school in Illinois.

Grand Master H. M. Blood of Chicago delivered the Commencement Address. Brother Blood's address teemed with good advice for the boys and girls of the class. He is a forceful speaker and was at his best while he faced this class of fine young people. His address was replete with good instructions and sound common sense.

Besides Grand Master Blood, the following members of the Board were present: John H. Steiner, Quincy; W. H. Pease, Harvey; W. R. McGaughey, Mt. Zion; Dr. A. G. Nauman, Chicago, and J. J. Crowder, Peoria; also Grand Secretary John H. Sikes, Springfield, and Grand Warden J. W. Birney, Bloomington.

It has been the constant aim of the Board to make our School as highly efficient as possible. The best possible teachers have been employed and the character of work done is highly satisfactory. It has been decided to send eighth-grade graduates who are under sixteen years of age and have another year to remain in the Home to the business college instead of high school, as it is considered more beneficial since many of the pupils are not able to finish their high-school course. Two boys and three girls have taken advantage of this fine opportunity to get a business education.

The following is a list of the eighth-grade graduates this year:

Myrtle Wilhelmina Wiberg.	Juanita Dorothy Marconi.
Alfred William Auler.	Eula Grimes.
Ruth Alice Herrin.	Emma Geneva Simpson.
Dolly Hanch.	Ida Rosanna Weinstein.
Lela Gladys White.	Cleo Eva Murray.
Thelma Iown Dash.	Jesse Lee Antle.
John Donald Cooper.	Charles Everett Karr.
Lester Edwin Carlson.	Harry Thomas Wickersham.
Raymond Dillman.	George Robert Lipsey.

The following is a list of the teachers employed for the school year of 1918-1919:

Miss Winifred Taylor, principal and teacher of eighth grade.
 Miss Vera Parsons, sixth and seventh grades.
 Miss Ruth Fenstermaker, fifth grade.
 Miss Margaret Rodman, third and fourth grades.
 Miss Norma Downey, first and second grades.
 Miss Vivian Tee, domestic science teacher.
 Mr. Loyd Carter, manual training teacher.
 Miss Huldah Peters, vocal and instrumental music.
 Prof. H. O. Merry, band instructor.

Band.

Alfred Magnussen will be the leader of the band for the coming year.

How to Gain Admission.

Lodges or guardians, wishing to place in the Home children who are eligible to its benefits, should apply to the Superintendent, Dr. J. A. Lucas, Lincoln, Illinois, for a blank form of application. The

blank application must be signed by the guardian, if the child is a full orphan. And every child, before admission, must have a guardian. If a half orphan, the living parent must sign the application. The Lodge, of which the father, if dead, was a member or is a member, if living, must also sign the application (under seal). The application should be returned to the Superintendent, who will present it to the Board of Directors for consideration at their first meeting thereafter.

The Assembly.

The rooms for which Sister Phillips raised the money are now furnished. These rooms are very large and yet not too large to accommodate our many visitors. The rooms are often crowded with Odd Fellows and Rebekahs. They are now in excellent condition and will bear inspection by those who are not members of the Order. We have many visitors who are not members of the Order.

The following is a list and price of articles of furniture:

Writing desk.....	\$ 30.00
Chair	9.00
Table	37.50
Davenport	75.00
Rocker	37.50
Chair	37.50
Chair	15.00
Chair	15.00
Chair	13.75
Rocker	22.50
2 Rugs large, 2 small.....	345.00
Window draperies and curtains.....	122.33
Shades	12.25
1 Small rug.....	2.50
2 Yds. velvet for upholstering.....	7.00
12 Yds. gimp.....	1.80
1 Runner	14.75
1 Table	32.50
1 Mirror	20.00
1 Rocker	16.50
1 Rocker	15.00
1 Parlor set.....	187.50
1 Piano	400.00
Total.....	\$1,469.88

The usual benefactions were ours to enjoy the past year, namely, \$300.00 for the sewing woman. Likewise, the \$100.00 for entertainment, and the collection for the Thanksgiving dinner, which amounted to \$60.85 and was used for the good dinner the children all enjoyed.

We sincerely thank the State Assembly for their generous donations to our Home.

Recreation Fund.

The South Side Memorial Association gave us.....	\$ 75.00
Good Samaritan Lodge No. 540.....	18.75
June Rebekah Lodge.....	10.00

Purchased two slides for playgrounds.

District No. 26.

The good Rebekahs gave us \$22.28 with which to buy water melons. As they were not good this year, we took the liberty to buy apples instead.

Grand Encampment.

The Grand Encampment built a swimming pool in the basement of the Administration building. It was built adjacent to the shower bath room with an archway between. This makes both the bath room and the pool very desirable, and when a heating pipe is placed will give both boys and girls much pleasure.

Assembly Treasurer.

Received from Sister Emma Turner for placing rope on flag pole	\$ 6.00
For seamstress	300.00
For entertainment—moving pictures.....	100.00
For aluminum ware—Domestic Science.....	25.00
Total.....	\$ 431.00

Donations.

The following lodges furnished graduating outfits for graduates of class of 1918:

Peoria Rebekah Lodge No. 113, graduating outfit for Eula Grimes.

Hoopeston Lodge No. 498, graduating outfit for Eva Murray.

Monmouth Rebekah Lodge No. 22, graduating outfit for Juanita Mariconi.

The following lodges responded with checks for the purchasing of the outfits for graduates from their lodge:

Herrin Lodge No. 430, for Ruth Herrin.

Fayette Lodge No. 436, for Harry Thomas Wickersham and George Lipsey.

Mt. Pulaski Lodge No. 454, for Donald Cooper.

Praha Lodge No. 231, for Dolly Hanch.

Findley Lodge No. 671, for Lela White.

Souvenir Lodge No. 831, for Wilhelmina Wiberg.

Southwestern Lodge No. 484, for Ida Weinstein.

Monmouth Lodge No. 577, for Lester Carlson.

Oak Lodge No. 341, for Jessie Antle.

REPORT OF THE AUXILIARY BOARD OF THE ORPHANS' HOME.

The best things in this world can be defined only by a description of their results. No man can fully define what the sunshine is except by pointing out what it does.

We believe above everything else that in our Homes the principles and spirit of fraternity finds its strongest expression.

These are the places where Odd Fellowship proves itself. Here we feel the strong hand in the dark hour of adversity, the helping hand in the time of need and a tower of strength in the moment of weakness.

Your Auxiliary Board regrets that it cannot reproduce in its report the sentiments that actuate its members in their desire to make the Home at Lincoln everything that the word "Home" stands for.

Management.

The management and discipline of the Home needs no commendation, for it is so thoroughly established in point of excellence that the fame of those entrusted with the management of same has gone far and wide. Under the tactful and loving supervision of Dr. and Sister Lucas, these dear children are developing into useful men and women. And—

"Back of the canvas that throbs,
The painter is hinted and hidden;
Into the statue that breathes,
The soul of the sculptor is hidden;
Back of the sound broods the silence,
Back of the gift is the giving,
Back of the hand that receives,
Thrills the sensitive nerves of receiving."

Improvements.

While this has been a year when conservation needs to be the watchword, it is an undisputable fact that conservation of the youth of our country is an essential, and wherever money was needed to maintain the health, comfort and well being of our children, it has been spent without question.

Through the generosity of the Grand Encampment, an adequate swimming pool has been installed in the basement of one of the buildings, which will add to the health as well as pleasure of the children.

New hardwood floors have been laid in the large reception parlors in the Administration building, and beautiful new furnishings purchased with the money so generously given by the Rebekah Lodges for that purpose last year.

Alterations and improvements of one of the cottages has been deemed necessary, whereby those children showing any signs of tubercular tendencies may receive an abundance of sunshine and special care.

Health.

The health of the Home has been excellent. The remarkable fact that there have been only nine deaths in twenty-six years is a point worth mentioning. One of these was accidental and three others were ill when admitted.

Number of Children.

On October 1st there were 172 children, members of the Home family; 184 being the average for the year. Sixty-six former Home boys are in the United States Army and Navy service, unquestionably sustaining the ideals of the essential things that go to make up human existence.

The School is fully maintaining its standard and excellent work shown in all departments, special mention being made of the girls' work in Household Science. The members of the two Boards enjoyed a most excellent luncheon prepared by the girls at the October meeting.

The boys in Manual Training are doing creditable work. One sees evidences of this in many places about the Home.

The subject of the necessity of some increase in the salaries of employees was a matter for discussion before the Board of Directors and the Auxiliary Board was reminded that inasmuch as the seamstress was paid by the Rebekah Assembly, this was a matter that should receive some consideration at our next regular session.

We would most respectfully recommend that an increase in keeping with the salaries paid other employees for like service be allowed the seamstress.

Conclusion.

We appreciate the courtesies extended to us by Dr. and Sister Lucas and each member of the Board of Directors. They are busy people, yet giving generously of their time and talent to this worthy cause.

Whatever gives larger meaning to life, whatever solves our problems, teaches us to look up and helps us forward, though it be but for a "little child," that is real service and there the hand of God is seen.

We are glad to have even a small share in this.

Fraternally submitted,

ELLEN O. JOHNSON, P.P.,
SAIDEE CARSON,
MYRTLE W. TANDY, P.P.,
LURA B. LATHAM, P.P.,
ARLETTA LOPP.

Insurance on Buildings and Contents.

Retail Merchants' Association.....	\$ 1,000.00	1918
Retail Merchants' Association.....	8,000.00	1918
Retail Merchants' Association.....	5,500.00	1918
Boston Insurance Co.....	5,000.00	1919
London & Lancashire.....	5,000.00	1920
Orient Insurance Co.....	3,000.00	1920
Orient Insurance Co.....	5,000.00	1920
London & Lancashire.....	2,000.00	1920
Orient Insurance Co.....	1,950.00	1920
London & Lancashire.....	1,000.00	1920
Orient Insurance Co.....	1,000.00	1920
London & Lancashire Co.....	500.00	1917
London & Lancashire Co.....	2,000.00	1921
Orient Insurance Co.....	1,000.00	1921
Orient Insurance Co.....	2,000.00	1921
London & Lancashire.....	5,000.00	1921
Sun Insurance Co.....	5,000.00	1921
Scottish Union & National Ins. Co.....	5,000.00	1921
London & Lancashire Co.....	5,000.00	1922
Orient Insurance Co.....	5,000.00	1921
Queen Insurance Co.....	5,000.00	1923
Hartford Steam Boiler Co.....	10,000.00	1923
Ohio Farmers.....	10,000.00	1923
Total.....	\$93,950.00	

Christmas Donations.

Balance on hand.....	\$ 82.97
Greater Chicago Lodge No. 822.....	20.00
John W. Fling, Jr.....	5.00

Fordville Lodge No. 1001.....	20.00
A. M. Levison.....	3.00
Herrin Encampment No. 201.....	10.00
German Rebekah Lodge Old Folks' and Orphans' Society....	15.00
Lyda Woodford Rebekah Lodge No. 228.....	5.00
Sophia Rebekah Lodge No. 96.....	25.00
Murrayville Rebekah Lodge No. 76.....	5.00
W. H. Webster.....	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. Vern Huston.....	3.00
John H. Sikes.....	10.00
Riverside Rebekah Lodge No. 7.....	5.00
Members Loyal Lodge No. 601.....	14.00
Mite Society of Anchor Rebekah Lodge No. 84.....	10.00
Junior Club of Ceres Rebekah Lodge No. 42.....	5.00
Superior Rebekah Lodge No. 18.....	5.00
Good Samaritan Lodge No. 540.....	5.00
Rock Island Association No. 3 Ladies Militant.....	5.00
Lily Rebekah Lodge No. 89, for Auler boys.....	5.00
P. N. Grands' Club, for Hissong children.....	10.00
Ashkum Lodge No. 580, for Kraay children.....	5.00
Jennie Lind Sewing Circle.....	10.00
Rebekah Sewing Circle—Harvey.....	10.00
Fae Rebekah Lodge No. 295.....	4.65
Souvenir Lodge No. 831.....	5.00
Banner Rebekah Lodge No. 160, for Christmas dinner.....	5.00
Crescent Club, Amboy Aurelia Rebekah Lodge No. 161.....	5.00
Triple Link Rebekah Lodge No. 577.....	10.00
June Rebekah Lodge No. 359.....	5.00
Sangamon Lodge No. 6.....	5.00
Owaneco Rebekah Lodge No. 790.....	1.25
Metropolitan Lodge No. 108.....	15.00
P. N. G.'s Club, Ruth Rebekah Lodge No. 10.....	10.00
West Moreland Rebekah Lodge No. 607.....	10.00
Industrial Workers Club, Olive Rebekah Lodge No. 57.....	5.00
B. H. Hissong, for Hissong children.....	2.50
Mokena Lodge No. 34, for Auler and Hissong children.....	5.00
Richview Lodge No. 952, for Casner children.....	3.75
Carnation Lodge No. 933, for girls of Carnation Dormitory....	10.00
Lake County Odd Fellows Association.....	25.00
Rock River Auxilliary No. 635.....	15.00
Memento Lodge No. 44.....	15.00
Surprise Rebekah Lodge No. 421.....	5.00
Gresham Lodge No. 448.....	5.00
Crystal Link Rebekah Lodge No. 616.....	5.00
Johanna Rebekah Lodge No. 233.....	15.00

Golden Harmony Lodge No. 917.....	9.50
Black Hawk Lodge No. 776.....	5.00
Leah Rebekah Lodge No. 232.....	5.00
Home Lodge No. 416, for Robert Dickey.....	2.00
Home Sewing Circle Columbia Rebekah Lodge No. 39.....	10.00
Chicago Lodge No. 55.....	5.00
West Salem Rebekah Lodge No. 668.....	5.00
West Salem Lodge No. 137.....	5.00
Mineral Springs Rebekah Lodge No. 352.....	2.50
True Rebekah Lodge No. 455.....	2.50
Adams Rebekah Lodge No. 375.....	5.00
Three Links No. 812.....	5.00
Fifty-five Rebekah Lodge No. 6.....	2.50
Sisters of Integrity Rebekah Lodge No. 562, Clarence Meyer...	4.00
Hoopston Lodge No. 198, for Murray children.....	6.00
Alton Rebekah Lodge No. 475.....	5.00
Staff of Libuse Rebekah Lodge No. 50.....	5.00
McLeansboro Rebekah Lodge No. 687.....	5.00
J. A. Week.....	5.00
Olive Rebekah Lodge No. 57.....	5.00
Kewanee Rebekah Lodge No. 512.....	10.00
Rosedale Rebekah Lodge No. 371.....	5.00
Orphans' Home Rebekah Lodge No. 9.....	10.00
Daughters of Egypt Rebekah Lodge No. 357.....	10.00
Silver Star No. 399.....	5.00
Ruth Rebekah Lodge No. 10.....	5.00
Keystone Rebekah Lodge No. 383.....	5.00
Busy Bee Sewing Circle, Keys Rebekah Lodge No. 383.....	10.00
Swedish Olive Lodge No. 583.....	15.00
Moreland Lodge No. 330.....	50.00
Washburn Lodge No. 546.....	5.00
Katie A. Thomas.....	5.00
New Excelsior Rebekah Lodge No. 379.....	40.00
Berwyn Room.....	9.25
Mark Sanders.....	5.00
Total.....	\$ 773.37

Disbursements.

Given to individuals as requested.....	\$ 125.70
Sweaters, caps, gloves, ties, scarf.....	169.29
Ribbons, toys, dolls, dishes, etc.....	151.01
Books, stationery and games.....	97.29

Sleds and skates.....	31.30
Fruit, nuts, candy, etc.....	65.55
Cash balance on hand.....	133.23
Total.....	\$ 773.37

Donations.

Rebekah Circle of Carpenterville Lodge No. 429—Thirty-nine yards of outing flannel.

Advance Sewing Circle—One sweater.

Galena Rebekah Lodge No. 346—A small boy's wardrobe consisting of 3 overcoats, rompers, pants, waists, underwear, shoes, etc.

Mt. Vernon Rebekah Lodge No. 296—Three outing flannel gowns, 1 wool cap, 1 pair mittens, 1 dozen handkerchiefs, 12 pair hose, 21 towels, 5 hair ribbons, 12 bath towels, 2 wash cloths, 10 pillow slips, 1 sheet, 3 gingham dresses, 3 aprons, 1 pair panties, 4 sateen bloomers, 1 cotton blanket.

Angelica Rebekah Lodge No. 51—Twelve quarts fruit, 36 glasses jelly.

Advance Sewing Circle of Joliet—Three sweaters, 8 pairs stockings, 8 suits of underwear, 2 pair pajamas, 3 pair bloomers, 3 aprons, 4 dresses, 6 gowns and 4 underskirts.

United Rebekah Lodge No. 436—One quilt.

Kirkwood Rebekah Lodge No. 429—Three little gingham dresses.

Mrs. Ernst Schubert—Ten pounds candy.

Home Helpers' Society No. 561, Yates City—One quilt.

Esther Rebekah Lodge No. 175—Four quilts.

Mrs. Beaver, Joliet—Fifty cents for candy for Harford children.

Suburban Lodge of LaGrange—Five boxes dominoes, 1 drum, 7 toys, 1 rubber doll, 1 doll, 1 pair mittens, 1 wool cap, 2 pair hose, 2 ribbon fancy bags, 1 handkerchief, 2 large marbles, 1 box cubes.

Brighton Star Rebekah Lodge No. 20—Two comforts.

Evelyn Colfax Rebekah Lodge Sewing Circle—One comfort, 8 outing gowns, 1 outing flannel skirt, 11 shirts, 1 book, 1 apron.

Libertyville Rebekah Lodge No. 558—Ten pairs hose, 1 apron, 1 skirt, 7 outing flannel gowns, 1 pair suspenders, 3 blankets.

Plano Rebekah Lodge—Five pounds nuts, 5 pounds candy, 1 apron, 1 underskirt, 1 boy's waist, 1 tie, 3 hoods, 1 top, 6 games, 1 hair ribbon, 2 books, 4 pair hose, 1 toy.

Vesta Sewing Circle—Six aprons, 4 boys' waists.

Rockford Rebekah Lodge No. 31 Mite Society—Four aprons, 7 boys' waists, 7 night gowns, 5 underskirts, 2 hairpin-holders.

A. L. Zeller of Warren Park Lodge No. 280—Six Indian clubs.

Autumn Leaf Rebekah Lodge No. 18—Outing flannel gowns.

Temple Rebekah Lodge No. 789, Rockford—Twelve pairs hose, 6 cards of beauty pins, 1 dozen white ties, 2 dozen handkerchiefs, 15 hair ribbons, 6 boys' waists.

Chicago, no lodge given—Nine dozen pairs hose.

Pawnee Rebekah Lodge No. 574—Two pair pajamas, 2 pair mittens, 1 cap, 2 pillow cases, 1 toy gun, 12 pairs hose, 8 pounds candy, 4 yards gingham, 3 bath towels, 4 wash cloths, 3 yards percale, 2 toys, 1 dozen lead pencils, 9 handkerchiefs, 4 yards outing flannel, 6 aprons, 2 outing flannel petticoats, 2 pairs bloomers, 1 ball.

North Star Rebekah Lodge No. 492—Three books, 1 tube candy, 3 outing flannel skirts, 3 dresses, 6 blouses for boys, 6 outing flannel gowns, 1 comfort.

Loyalty Rebekah Lodge No. 741—Fifty pairs hose.

Triple Link Sewing Circle—One box Jonathan apples.

Libuse Rebekah Juniors—Twelve outing flannel gowns, 6 dresses, 14 boys' waists, 6 bungalow aprons, 6 hair ribbons, 2 dresser scarfs, 16 pairs hose, 2 buckets candy.

Fraternity Rebekah Lodge No. 553—Four pairs hose, 1 box second-hand clothing.

Humphrey Rebekah Lodge No. 136—Twelve glasses jelly, 11 quarts fruit.

Onward Rebekah Lodge No. 618 Sewing Circle—One dozen bath towels.

Delia Rebekah Lodge No. 597—One comfort.

Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 88—Three comforts, 1 suit underwear, 1 pair overalls, 6 boys' waists (9 pairs hose, 1 ribbon, 6 handkerchiefs for Ray children).

Petersburg Rebekah Lodge No. 92—Five handkerchiefs, 2 books, 2 linen books, 3 pencils, 1 box chewing gum, 4 balls, 1 top, 2 games, 2 building blocks, 1 doll, 2 toys.

Harriet Scoville Rebekah Aid Society and Harriet Scoville Lodge No. 293—One boy's suit, 15 dresses, 3 aprons, 2 boys' rompers, 8 boys' waists, 2 outing flannel shirts, 5 outing flannel skirts.

Pilgrim Rebekah Lodge No. 80—Six handkerchiefs, 8 pairs hose, 3 yards gingham, 4 bath towels, 5 wash cloths.

Momento Branch Rebekah Lodge No. 155—Four boxes, home-builders, 3 books, 1 puzzle, 1 box handkerchiefs, 10 hair ribbons, 9 handkerchiefs, 1 muffler, 2 union suits, 2 waists, 1 horn, 1 pair trousers, 2 sleigh bells, 4 pairs hose, 4 games, 1 sweater, 1 top, 9 pounds candy, 7 pounds nuts, 1 pair gloves, 1 pair mittens, 1 tie, 1 cap.

J. H. Montague Rebekah Lodge No. 202—1 comfort.

Wide Awake Rebekah Lodge No. 430—Twelve beautiful gingham dresses.

Decatur—One box oranges.

Minnehaha Sewing Circle—Ten pounds candy, 1 rag doll, comfort.

Anchor Rebekah Lodge No. 84, Mite Society—Two underskirts, 4 aprons, 1 large doll.

Elgiva Rebekah Lodge No. 194—Twenty-five pounds candy, 18 packages of crackerjack.

Advance Rebekah Lodge Sewing Society, Joliet—Fifty pounds candy.

Fiatt Rebekah Lodge No. 799—One comfort.

Miriam Club of Lilla Rebekah Lodge No. 63—Two pounds candy, 14 bean bags, 2 bags marbles, 8 games, 1 pair hose.

Anna Rebekah Lodge No. 262—One box oranges, 1 box popcorn, 11 pairs hose, 6 hair ribbons, 1 sack hickory nuts.

Lilla Rebekah Lodge No. 63 Sewing Circle—Three play chairs, 1 apron, 1 tie, 5 pairs hose, 1 box handkerchiefs, 1 paint box, 2 toys, 2 wash cloths, 1 builder, 2 ribbons, 1 purse, 3 books.

Gilman Lodge No. 648—One bucket candy.

Stonington Rebekah Lodge No. 608—One box canned fruit.

Miller & Hart, Packers—One smoked ham.

Centralia Rebekah Lodge No. 596—Seventy-three presents and 10 pounds candy.

Dwight Lodge No. 513—One box magazines.

Annie and Beatrice Frankenstein of Schuyler Colfax Lodge No. 808—One box Christmas tree decorations.

Hume Rebekah Lodge No. 277—Three handkerchiefs, 1 apron, 6 yards percale, 3 pairs mittens, 5 pairs hose, 2 tops.

Hoopeston Lodge No. 498—Eight yards wool goods, 5 yards gingham, 3 cards buttons, 3 spools thread.

Sinai Sewing Circle Rebekah Lodge No. 36—Five outing flannel gowns, 4 dresses, 6 outing flannel skirts.

Cheneyville Rebekah Lodge No. 438—Two comforts.

Wicker Park Lodge No. 281—Fifty pounds chocolates.

Landauers, Lincoln—Fifty pounds mixed nuts.

Jonesboro Rebekah Lodge No. 556—One comfort.

Sunshine Circle of Rebekah Lodge No. 95—Six dress aprons, 2 girls' collars.

Helping Hand Rebekah Lodge No. 490—One tie, 3 ribbons, 10 yards percale, 6 pairs hose, 6 yards outing flannel, 7 handkerchiefs, 1 girl's coat, 1 quilt.

P. F. Peifer, Lincoln—One box oranges.

William Devanny, Lincoln—Twenty-two beautiful decorated cakes.

Mrs. M. Cameron, Chicago—Chandelier decorations and table decorations.

Miss Emma Lawrence of Blue Bell Rebekah Lodge No. 460—Three dolls.

Busy Bees—One Teddy-bear.

William Devanny—Two hundred cream puffs.

Xenia Rebekah Lodge No. 213—Twenty outing flannel gowns.

Past Noble Grands Club of Minnehaha Rebekah Lodge No. 77—Eight outing flannel gowns.

Arthur L. Zeller—Package of music books.

St. Elmo Rebekah Lodge No. 406—Nine pairs hose, 9 waist hose-supporters.

I Will Rebekah Lodge—Twenty-one and one-half yards ribbon, 9 dozen handkerchiefs, 25 neckties, 4 dozen writing tablets, 6 packages envelopes, 3 boxes candy.

Blue Mound Rebekah Lodge No. 484—Fifteen quarts fruit, 18 quarts tomatoes.

Stonington Rebekah Lodge No. 608—Forty-one glasses jelly.

H. H. Sewing Circle, Yates City No. 561—One skirt, 1 suit underwear, 6 underskirts, 1 blouse waist.

Nellie Krejci from Vlast Rebekah Lodge No. 165—Valentines.

Mrs. G. C. Rhine—One hundred and twelve valentines.

Dr. Nauman presented \$2.00 in pennies to the children of the Home and each graduate with a thrift stamp.

Meyers Bros. of Mt. Pulaski—Two boxes of boys' hats and caps.

Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 88—Box canned fruit, 16 quarts.

Mrs. V. H. Huston—Two hand-made combination suits for girl graduates.

Xenia Rebekah Lodge No. 213—Twelve gingham dresses, 3 middies.

Advance Sewing Circle of Joliet No. 405—Two boy blouses, 3 night-gowns.

Minnie Bell Rebekah Lodge No. 423—Four stuffed rag dolls, 21 outing flannel gowns, 7 outing underskirts, 10 dresses, 1 pair shoes, 1 pair overalls, 1 box good second-hand clothing, 10 small rag dolls.

Rock River Auxiliary No. 635—Twenty-one boys' waists, 21 gingham dresses, 9 pairs bloomers, 16 gingham petticoats.

Temple Rebekah Lodge No. 789—Eight gowns, 7 aprons.

Rockford Mite Society No. 31—Five boys' blouses, 10 gingham dresses, 2 underskirts.

Autumn Leaf Rebekah Lodge No. 626—Eight middy blouses, 4 nightgowns.

Libertyville Rebekah Lodge No. 525—Five boys' waists, 11 aprons, 3 dresses.

Cuba Rebekah Lodge No. 33—Nine handkerchiefs, 2 hair ribbons, 9 pairs hose, 12 towels, 6 wash cloths, 3 cards buttons, 3 balls crochet cotton, 15 spools thread, 1 bar soap, 1 comb.

Articles Received for Rooms Furnished by Lodges.

Fulton County Avon Rebekah Lodge No. 100—One quilt and comfort.

Sewing Circle of Lilla Lodge—Fourteen yards of curtain material and three dresser scarfs.

Canton Rebekah Lodge No. 245—Donation of \$10.00 for Fulton County room.

Vesper Lodge No. 172—Eighteen pillow cases, 18 sheets.

Warren County Lodges—One table runner, 3 dresser scarfs.

Lilla Rebekah Sewing Circle—Six rugs, 1 bed spring.

Golden Link Rebekah Lodge No. 3—Three lace curtains, one writing desk.

Thelma Rebekah Lodge No. 670—For Hancock County room, donation of \$2.50.

Table Grove Rebekah Lodge No. 414—For Fulton County room, donation of \$1.00.

Spoon River Rebekah Lodge No. 776—Six sheets.

Neola Rebekah Lodge No. 458—Two small rugs.

Iantha Rebekah Lodge No. 413—Eight spreads, 16 yards of curtain material.

Weldon Springs Rebekah Lodge No. 26—Four sheets, 2 comforts, 2 pillow cases, 3 dresser scarfs, 4 towels.

Lewistown Rebekah Lodge No. 566—For Fulton County room, donation of \$5.00.

Johanna Rebekah Lodge No. 233—One sofa pillow, 6 towels.

Weldon Springs Rebekah Lodge—One dresser scarf.

Laurel Grove Rebekah Lodge—For Fulton County room, 1 comfort.

Johanna Rebekah Lodge No. 233—Two dresser scarfs, 2 sheets, 2 pillow tops.

Memento Branch No. 80—For Fulton County room, 2 comforts.

Fiatt Rebekah Lodge No. 799—For Fulton County room, 1 comfort.

Dr. and Mrs. Sedlock—For Carnation room, one phonograph.

Berwyn—Check for \$56.18 for new rugs and redecorating of Berwyn room.

Cuba Rebekah Lodge No. 33—For Fulton County room, donation of \$5.00.

Marietta, Ill.—For Fulton County room, 1 quilt and 1 pair pillow cases.

Myrtle Rebekah Aid Society No. 256—For Myrtle room, check for \$21.00 for redecorating.

Palacky Lodge No. 630—Large rug and redecorating of Palacky room.

Warren County Rebekah Lodges—Ten bed spreads, 12 yards cretonne.

- Lilla Rebekah Lodge No. 63—Fifteen yards curtain material.
Tirzah Rebekah Lodge No. 488—Six sheets, 6 pillow cases.
Bureau County Lodges—Check for \$25.00 for refurnishings of room.
Bethel Rebekah Lodge—One electric iron, 20 yards curtain material and 3 shades.
Maroa Rebekah Lodge—One dozen pillow cases, 1 dozen sheets, 1 long runner, 4 window shades.
Eagle Encampment—Three window shades, 1 runner, 3 short rugs, material for white curtains.
Cook County Lodge—Two runners, 2 small rugs, 28 yards curtain material, 9 bed spreads, 30 sheets, 21 pillow cases.
Woodlawn Park Lodge No. 825—Twenty-one pillow cases, 27 sheets, 2 pieces of carpet binding.
Sangamon Lodge No. 6—Check for \$3.50 for varnish for Sangamon room.
John Ericsson Lodge No. 361—Nine spreads, 12 sheets, 9 rugs, 1 runner.
District Assembly No. 26—One rug, 6 bath towels, 6 wash cloths, 6 hand towels, 2 dresser scarfs, 12 yards marquisette, 2 window shades.
Cuba Rebekah Lodge No. 33—One quilt.
Fort Clark No. 109 and Columbia No. 21—One dozen sheets and 1 dozen pillow-cases.

Below Will Be Found a List of Rooms Furnished by Lodges.

- Lincoln Lodge No. 204.
Dr. and Mrs. Lucas presented each graduate with a thrift stamp.
Galva Lodge No. 408, Galva Encampment No. 174, Wide Awake Rebekah Lodge No. 430.
Harvey Lodge No. 80—Check for \$25.00 for refurnishing of room.
Mt. Pulaski Lodge No. 454, Central Rebekah Lodge No. 313.
Vesper Rebekah Lodge No. 172, Mt. Pleasant Lodge No. 126.
Iantha Rebekah Lodge No. 413.
John Corson Smith Lodge No. 990.
Cook County Association.
Myrtle Rebekah Lodge No. 256.
Mary B. Stephens Rebekah Lodge No. 495.
Denmark Lodge No. 627 and Denmark Rebekah Lodge No. 908.
South Park Lodge No. 488.
Tirzah Rebekah Lodge No. 488.
Fern Rebekah Lodge No. 179 and Sylvan Lodge No. 154.
Lilla Lodge No. 63.
Fulton County Lodges.
Cambridge Rebekah Lodge No. 517.
Braceville Lodge No. 679.

- Forest Lodge No. 255.
- Palacky Lodge No. 630.
- Duane Lodge No. 11.
- Warren County Lodges.
- Clio Rebekah Lodge No. 143.
- Eagle Encampment No. 139.
- Salem Lodge No. 123.
- Maroa Lodge No. 314.
- Prosperity Lodge No. 782.
- Danville Lodge No. 69, Mercy Rebekah Lodge No. 72 Feurbach Lodge No. 499, Marsh Encampment No. 46.
- Bethel Rebekah Lodge No. 253.
- Hancock County Lodges.
- Golden Link Rebekah Lodge No. 3.
- Sangamon Lodge No. 6, Springfield Lodge No. 495, Prairie State Encampment No. 16.
- Rogers Park Lodge No. 562.
- Mercer County Rebekah Lodges.
- Alta Rebekah Lodge No. 393.
- Eureka Rebekah Lodge No. 58.
- Mason City Lodge No. 337.
- Lucille Rebekah Lodge No. 67.
- Parthenia Rebekah Lodge No. 229, Safford Lodge No. 67.
- Cook County Rebekah Lodge No. 90, Cook County Lodge No. 240.
- Champaign County Lodges.
- Bureau County Lodges.
- Cook County Lodge No. 240.
- Woodlawn Park Lodge No. 825.
- John Ericsson Lodge No. 361.
- Lakeside Lodge No. 450.
- Harvey Lodge No. 80, W. H. Day Rebekah Lodge No. 328, Harvey, Encampment No. 203.
- Jane E. Cole Rebekah Lodge No. 294.
- Triple Link Rebekah Lodge No. 577.
- I Will Lodge No. 733.
- Columbia Lodge No. 21, Fort Clark Lodge No. 109.
- Berwin Lodge No. 455, Brookfield Lodge No. 693, Royal Lodge No. 800, Suburban Lodge No. 110, Rising Sun Lodge No. 531, West End Encampment No. 214.
- Carnation Lodge No. 933, American Rebekah Lodge No. 188.
- Adams Rebekah Lodge No. 375.
- Elva Rebekah Lodge No. 658.
- Queen City Lodge No. 179.
- Milmine Lodge No. 276.

Galatia Lodge No. 433.
 Jacksonville Rebekah Lodge No. 625.
 Lizzie L. Morrison Rebekah Lodge No. 647.
 Weldon Springs Rebekah Lodge No. 26.
 Ucal Lodge No. 608, Rock Island Lodge No. 18.
 Twenty-eighth District Assembly.
 Johanna Rebekah Lodge No. 233.
 Woodlawn Park Lodge No. 825.
 State Assembly.
 Rebekah Lodges, District 26.
 Flora Rebekah Lodge No. 152.
 M. P. Berry furnishes the following magazines and papers:

Country Life in America.
 Garden Magazine.
 Ladies' Home Journal.
 Good Housekeeping.
 Modern Priscilla.
 McCall's Magazine.
 Bird Lore.
 Little Folks' Magazine.
 Popular Mechanics.
 Everybody's.
 McClure's.
 National Geographic Magazine.
 Country Gentleman.
 Literary Digest.
 St. Nicholas.

Inventory.

Land	\$ 54,600.00
Buildings	151,251.00
Furniture, books, bedding, table linen, pictures, dishes, kitchen utensils, etc.....	17,365.16
School room equipment, picture machine, victrola, books, etc.	1,804.79
Manual Training equipment.....	726.20
Domestic Science equipment.....	372.10
Vehicles, implements, etc.....	708.50
Central heating plant, including tanks.....	6,919.50
Stock and poultry.....	7,056.60
Laundry machinery supplies.....	1,803.50
Groceries and supplies on hand.....	2,078.07
Total.....	\$244,685.42

Stock.

Horses:

8 horses and mares.....\$ 900.00 \$ 900.00

Cattle:

4 full blood cows.....\$1,200.00
3 high-grade cows..... 375.00
1 full blood bull..... 100.00
19 grade cows..... 1,900.00
5 grade heifers..... 300.00
3 calves 222.60
4 full blood heifers..... 600.00

4,697.60

Hogs:

6 full blood sows.....\$ 300.00
17 hogs 595.00
36 shoats 324.00
28 pigs 140.00
1 boar 100.00

1,459.00

Total.....\$7,056.60

Poultry.

210 chickens.....\$ 210.00

Vehicles, Tools and Implements.

3 sets work harness.....\$ 30.00
1 set single harness..... 2.50
1 set single harness..... 5.00
1 bob sled..... 10.00
1 carriage 10.00
1 horse lawn mower..... 10.00
4 lawn mowers..... 10.00
3 cultivators 30.00
1 corn planter..... 5.00
6 sectional harrows..... 30.00
1 gang plow..... 57.50
1 seeder 5.00
Manure spreader..... 75.00
Potato planter..... 3.00
1 roller 2.00
2 iron wheel wagons..... 15.00
2 farm wagons..... 75.00

1 spring wagon.....	40.00
3 hay racks.....	10.00
1 corrugated roller.....	45.00
1 disc harrow.....	35.00
1 hay rake.....	40.00
Spades, picks, carpenter tools, rakes.....	10.00
Total.....	\$ 575.00

Garden Tools.

2 hand cultivators.....	\$ 7.00
1 seed drill.....	5.00
2 hoes	.50
2 garden rakes.....	.50
2 one-horse cultivators.....	6.00
1 potato hiller.....	4.00
1 one-horse plow.....	2.00
12 hot bed sashes.....	10.00
1 tree spray.....	6.00
2 incubators and brooders.....	15.00
1 two-horse plow.....	4.00
1 harrow	5.00
Total.....	\$ 65.00

Garden Report.

The following is a report of products from the Farm which have been used or will be used in the Home:

72 bushels lettuce	\$ 36.00
25 bushels radishes	25.00
50 bushels onions	50.00
20 bushels rhubarb	20.00
1 bushel spinach	1.00
12 bushels peas	17.75
55 bushels beets	29.50
4 barrels pickles.....	30.00
55 bushels potatoes	110.00
41 bushels beans	61.50
221 bushels tomatoes	221.00
900 bunches asparagus	45.00
4½ bushels kohlrabi	4.50
1054 dozen sweet corn.....	210.80
827 head cabbage.....	39.25

1 bushel carrots	1.50
5 loads of pumpkins.....	10.00
5 bushels peppers	10.85
13½ bushels beets	13.50
80 quarts strawberries	16.00
20 bushels of popcorn.....	50.00
Total.....	\$1,003.15

Orchard and Vineyard.

8 bushels cherries	\$ 25.60
10 bushels apples	20.00
50 bushels grapes	50.00
Total	\$ 95.60

Field Report.

407 bushels wheat.....	\$ 836.17
20 acres pasture.....	200.00
300 tons ensilage.....	3,000.00
1 month pasturing cows.....	75.00
2000 bushels corn (estimated).....	2,500.00
Total.....	\$6,611.17

Milk Report.

1917.	
Oct.	1,554 gallons.
Nov.	1,450 gallons.
Dec.	1,440 gallons.
1918.	
Jan.	1,545 gallons.
Feb.	1,532 gallons.
March	2,001 gallons.
April	1,825 gallons.
May	2,168 gallons.
June	2,228 gallons.
July	1,567 gallons.
Aug.	2,612 gallons.
Sept.	1,439 gallons.
21,361 gallons at 30c.....	\$6,408.30

Eggs.

500 dozen eggs.....	\$ 150.00
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FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

The following, given in detail, are cash collections during the year:

Cash Receipts for the Month of October, 1917.

Collections for children:

J. W. Harben.....	\$ 10.00	
B. H. Hissong.....	10.00	
Henry Karr	15.00	
Dennis Newton	15.00	
C. W. Adams.....	3.00	
B. H. Hissong.....	10.00	
Tildon Easton	12.00	
Thos. McGill	70.00	
Rose Harris	6.00	
O. V. Johnson.....	50.00	
		\$ 201.00

Sundries:

Phone use refund.....	\$.30	
Phone use refund.....	.25	
Meals served	1.00	
		1.55

Donations:

Lena Lawman Reb. Lodge No. 260.....	\$ 10.00	
J. W. Harben.....	4.00	
		14.00

Farm:

2 bushels tomatoes.....	\$ 2.00	
2 bushels tomatoes.....	2.00	
45 head cabbage.....	2.00	
1 bushel tomatoes.....	1.00	
18 hogs	697.50	
1 pig	5.00	
		709.50

Total\$ 926.05

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Cash Receipts for the Month of November, 1917.

Collections for children:

J. W. Harben.....	\$ 10.00
Henry Karr	15.00
Chas. Croon	50.00
L. E. Dash.....	65.00

C. W. Adams.....	6.00	
B. H. Hissong.....	10.00	
Dennis Newton	15.00	
Chas. Mackey	25.00	
J. N. Wiggins.....	10.00	
Tildon Easton	12.00	
B. H. Hissong.....	10.00	
J. N. Wiggins	15.00	
Mrs. Hobbs	5.00	
Tildon Easton	50.00	
		\$ 298.00

Sundries:

Meals served	\$ 5.25	
Phone refund	.45	
Junk sold	7.35	
Refund to Home.....	12.00	
Refund express	1.00	
Fedund manual training.....	2.55	
		28.60

Donations:

River Grove Reb. Lodge No. 389.....	\$ 5.00	
Welcome Reb. Lodge No. 28.....	5.00	
Excelsior Lodge No. 22.....	5.00	
Warren Park Lodge No. 280.....	9.00	
LaSalle Lodge No. 101.....	7.50	
Columbia Lodge No. 21.....	25.00	
J. J. Crowder.....	1.00	
Harry Hannum	.50	
Carmi No. 189.....	10.00	
Cook Co. Picnic Anniversary Ass'n.....	125.00	
		193.00

Total\$ 519.60

Cash Receipts for the Month of December, 1917.

Collections for children:

A. M. Henderson.....	\$ 5.00
Rose Harris	2.00
J. N. Wiggins.....	15.00
J. W. Harben.....	10.00
Henry Karr	15.00
B. H. Hissong.....	10.00

A. M. Henderson.....	10.00	
Dennis Newton	15.00	
O. L. Bowman.....	10.00	
B. H. Hissong.....	10.00	
O. F. Johnson.....	25.00	
J. E. Seepe.....	50.00	
Chas. Mackey	19.00	
J. N. Wiggins.....	15.00	
J. W. Harben.....	10.00	
H. D. Crondy.....	33.00	
		\$ 254.00
Sundries:		
Refund to Home.....	\$ 9.36	
Meals served	.75	
Manual Training	1.00	
		11.11
Donations:		
J. W. Harben.....	\$ 10.00	
Diamond R. L. No. 384.....	2.50	
Ada Eskew	.50	
Monmouth R. L. No. 128.....	9.35	
		22.35
Farm:		
Horse sold to Geo. Baker.....	\$ 165.00	
Stock service	2.00	
1 hog and 2 calves sold S. Keys.....	58.90	
		225.90
Total	\$ 513.36	

Cash Receipts for the Month of January, 1918.

Collections for children:

Chas. Croon	\$ 50.00	
Henry Karr	15.00	
Dennis Newton	15.00	
B. H. Hissong.....	10.00	
C. W. Adams.....	6.00	
A. M. Henderson.....	17.50	
J. L. Dillman.....	40.00	
J. W. Harben.....	10.00	
		\$ 163.50

Sundries:

Refund phone use.....	\$.30
Refund phone use.....	.20

.50

Donations:

R. J. Zajicek.....	\$ 5.00
Waukegan Reb. Lodge No. 340.....	5.00
Lilly of the Valley Reb. Lodge No. 115.....	10.00
Elizabeth Reb. Lodge No. 720.....	10.00
Golden Glow Reb. Lodge No. 469.....	5.00
Trenton Reb. Lodge No. 593.....	2.50
Peter Lind	5.00
Alice M. Graham.....	50.00
Norton Reb. Lodge No. 655.....	25.00

\$ 117.50

Total\$ 281.50

Cash Receipts for the Month of February, 1918.

Collections for children:

J. N. Wiggins.....	\$ 25.00
C. W. Adams.....	3.00
O. L. Bowman.....	10.00
Henry Karr	15.00
O. F. Johnson.....	50.00
B. H. Hissong.....	15.00
Dennis Newton	15.00
Estella Littlejohn	12.00
A. M. Henderson.....	10.00
Wm. Radford	40.00
J. E. Seepe.....	20.00
John J. Brown.....	16.03
B. H. Hissong.....	15.00
A. M. Henderson.....	5.00

251.03

Sundries:

Refund broken glass.....	\$ 3.75
Sale Manual Training.....	5.00
Phone refund	.40

9.15

Donations:

Gladys A. Meyer.....	\$ 10.00	10.00
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Farm:

27 hogs, 6380 pounds @ 15¾c.....	\$1,004.85
1 sow, 530 pounds @ 15¼c.....	80.82
2 hogs, 340 pounds @ 12c.....	40.80
1 bull, 1740 pounds @ 8c.....	139.20
1 bull, 430 pounds @ 5c.....	21.50
1 heifer, 870 pounds @ 7c.....	60.90
1 calf Peter Sandal.....	12.00
1 horse Dan Field.....	125.00
	1,485.07
Total	
	\$1,755.25
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Cash Receipts for the Month of March, 1918.

Collections for children:

Sigurd Singdahlsen	\$ 50.00
J. W. Harben.....	10.00
J. N. Wiggins.....	20.00
Chas. Croon	50.00
Henry Karr	15.00
Dennis Newton	15.00
A. C. Adams.....	5.00
J. L. Dillamn.....	40.00
Thos. McGill	50.00
O. L. Bowman.....	25.00
B. H. Hissong.....	20.00
A. M. Henderson.....	10.00
Mrs. R. W. Pommer (Theves children).....	5.00
J. W. Harben.....	20.00
L. E. Dash.....	25.00
Chas. Mackey	48.00
	\$ 408.00

Sundries:

Refund for sacks, Spellman & Co.....	\$ 6.23
Fefund Phone	.60
Old brass and iron sold.....	23.18
Meals	2.50
Coffee served	.25
	32.76

Donations:

Henry Task, Sr., Catlin.....	\$.30
Barry Lodge No. 336.....	5.40
Genoa Lodge No. 768.....	6.00
	11.70

Farm:

1 calf W. R. McGaughey.....	\$ 50.00	
1 calf, Geo. Rentschler.....	12.00	
1 calf, Geo. Rentschler.....	12.00	
Stock service	1.00	
		75.00
Total	\$ 527.46	
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Cash Receipts for the Month of April, 1918.

Collections for children:

Ira E. Loyd.....	\$ 29.00	
Henry Karr	25.00	
Dennis Newton	15.00	
C. W. Adams.....	5.00	
Mrs. R. W. Pommer.....	10.00	
J. H. Wiggins.....	10.00	
Robt. Snider	100.00	
Mrs. Alice Thompson.....	10.00	
B. H. Hissong.....	20.00	
Chas. Croon	50.00	
Mrs. Estella Littlejohn.....	9.00	
Mrs. Pommer	15.00	
J. W. Harben.....	20.00	
A. M. Henderson.....	10.00	
		\$ 319.00

Sundries:

Meals served	\$.50	
Gavel sold	1.00	
Tooth ache medicine.....	.25	
Refund to the Home.....	1.90	
		3.65

Donations:

DeWitt Co. Odd Fellows Picnic Association....	\$ 25.00	
Bright Star Bohemia Reb. Lodge.....	5.00	
Praha Reb. Lodge No. 813.....	5.00	
		35.00
Total	\$ 357.65	
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Cash Receipts for the Month of May, 1918.

Collections for children:

Henry Karr	\$ 20.00	
Chas. Croon	50.00	
Ira E. Loyd.....	20.00	
Dennis Newton	15.00	
Industrial Lodge No. 550 (Easton).....	94.00	
J. N. Wiggins.....	20.00	
Fred Herrin	25.00	
Chas. Murray	15.00	
Joseph Hoy (Cooper Children).....	66.75	
L. E. Dash.....	25.00	
Mrs. Pommer (Theves Children).....	15.00	
B. H. Hissong.....	20.00	
A. M. Henderson.....	10.00	
O. F. Johnson.....	50.00	
J. E. Seepe (Auler boys).....	30.00	
Fred Herrin	25.00	
		\$ 500.75

Sundries:

Refund for meals.....	\$ 7.25	
Goods sold	11.50	
Sale of old iron, etc.....	16.61	
Refund on goods sold.....	2.50	
		37.86

Donations:

Fulton Lodge No. 51.....	\$ 7.35	
Louistown Reb. Lodge.....	5.00	
		12.35

Farm:

Calf sold to Humphrey.....	\$ 12.00	
Calf sold to Otto Kloes.....	50.00	
		62.00
Total	\$ 612.96	

Cash Receipts for the Month of June, 1918.

Collections for children:

Ira E. Loyd.....	\$ 32 00
J. W. Harben.....	20.00
Henry Karr	20.00
Dennis Newton	15.00

Segurd Singdahlsen	15.00	
L. E. Dash.....	50.00	
Mrs. Alice Thompson.....	10.00	
O. L. Bowman.....	25.00	
Chas. Mackey	20.00	
O. F. Johnson.....	25.00	
Mrs. Alice Thompson.....	10.00	
Jos. Hoy	1.00	
C. W. Adams.....	7.00	
Mrs. K. W. Pommer.....	15.00	
Chas. Murphy	10.00	
Mrs. Hobbs	3.00	
J. W. Harben.....	20.00	
		\$ 298.00

Sundries:

Meals served	\$ 1 00	
Phone refund	.55	
Home box	1.50	
Refund for goods sold to graduates.....	10.76	
		\$ 13.81

Donations:

District Assembly No. 20.....	\$ 5.00	
Peter Lind	3.00	
		8.00

Farm:

Calf sold to Mr. Johnson.....	\$ 12.00	
2 bushels of wax beans.....	4.00	
		16.00

Total\$ 335.81
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Cash Receipts for the Month of July, 1918.

Collections for children:

Ira E. Loyd.....	\$ 28.00
Chas. Croon	50.00
Fred Herrin	25.00
Chas. Mackey	15.00
B. H. Hissong.....	30.00
Dennis Newton	15.00
S. S. Singdahlsen.....	20.00
B. H. Hissong.....	10.00
L. E. Dash.....	50.00

Wm. Radford	40.00	
Fred Herrin	20.00	
Mrs. Anderson	10.00	
J. W. Harben.....	20.00	
		\$ 333.00

Sundries:

Old iron sold.....	\$ 12.54	
Christopher Dahl Will.....	671.56	
Meals served	1.00	
		685.10

Donations:

Fannie Reb. Lodge No. 453.....	\$ 5.00	
J. W. Harben.....	10.00	
Mendon Lodge No. 877.....	5.00	

Farm:

4 bushels beans.....	\$ 4.50	
40 dozen sweet corn.....	5.45	
65 head cabbage.....	2.50	
377 bushels wheat @ \$2.05.....	773.20	
		785.65

Total\$1,823.75
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Cash Receipts for the Month of August, 1918.

Collections for children:

Dennis Newton	\$ 15.00	
L. E. Dash.....	50.00	
Henry Karr	20.00	
S. Singdahlsen	20.00	
Ira E. Loyd.....	20.00	
B. H. Hissong	10.00	
Mrs. Alice Thompson.....	20.00	
C. W. Adams.....	20.00	
Chas. Murray.....	10.00	
Chas. Mackey	25.00	
Fred Herrin	20.00	
B. H. Hissong	10.00	
J. E. Seepe	30.00	
Mrs. Carrie Brown.....	5.00	
		\$ 275.00

Sundries:

Junk sold	\$.50	
Refund supplies	.38	
Meals served	3.00	
Refund dental service.....	2.00	
		\$ 5.88

Donations:

Mt. Sterling	\$ 5.00
Silver Moon Lodge No. 35.....	5.00

Farm:

Corn sold	\$ 7.75	
Calves sold	92.00	
25 head cabbage.....	.95	
1 bushel tomatoes.....	1.00	
1 horse sold.....	170.00	
		271.70

Total\$ 562.58
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Cash Receipts for the Month of September, 1918.

Collections for children:

Chas. Croon	\$ 50.00
L. E. Dash.....	65.00
Henry Karr	25.00
J. W. Harben.....	20.00
Albertus Tice	5.00
Ira E. Loyd.....	20.00
Mrs. Alice Thompson.....	10.00
Jessie May Anderson.....	10.00
Thos. McGill	50.00
Albert Grubbe	8.00
Fred Herrin	50.00
Dennis Newton	15.00
Chas. Mackey	25.00
J. L. Dillman.....	4.75
J. R. Huffman.....	65.00
J. W. Harben.....	20.00
L. E. Dash.....	75.00
S. S. Singdahlson.....	25.00
B. H. Hissong.....	40.00
Ira E. Loyd.....	22.00
	\$ 604.75

Sundries:

Refund Phone use.....	\$ 2.15	
Interest on Endowment fund.....	1,811.75	
		<u>1,813.90</u>

Donations:

Humbolt Reb. Lodge No. 704.....	\$ 5.00	
Vesper Lodge No. 172.....	38.52	
		<u>43.52</u>

Farm:

16 bushels cucumbers.....	\$ 13.50	
20 dozen sweet corn.....	2.00	
4 dozen peppers.....	3.50	
1 pig sold Dan Funk.....	10.00	
		<u>29.00</u>

Total\$2,491.17
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CONTINGENT EXPENSE ACCOUNT.

We herewith submit an itemized statement of the articles paid for by check, that makes up the contingent expenses, and for which vouchers are issued each month to the Superintendent. The total of these accounts each month will correspond with the vouchers issued for contingent expenses.

Contingent Expenses for the Month of October, 1917.

Illinois Central Railroad Co., freight.....	\$ 15.88
Illinois Traction System, freight.....	.83
Chicago & Alton, freight.....	.72
American Express, expressage.....	12.66
Central Illinois Telephone Co., rent and tolls.....	9.75
Western Union Telegraph Co., telegrams.....	1.31
Adams Express Co., expressage.....	3.76
P. M. Biwer, stamps.....	10.80
Mrs. Walter Sarver, butter.....	63.00
Mrs. N. Huffman, butter.....	20.70
Mrs. J. W. Arthur, service.....	5.00
Mrs. Lillian Smith, service.....	12.00
A. L. Salmons, horse hire.....	14.00
Theo. Presser Co., music books.....	.81
Logan Co. Gas Co., gas.....	62.46
Eugene Sheer, repairs.....	1.00

Total\$ 234.68

Contingent Expenses for the Month of November, 1917.

Pfund Bros., repairs and sawdust.....	\$ 1.70
Kresge Co., supplies.....	2.38
Chicago & Alton, freight.....	3.86
Illinois Central, freight.....	34.46
Illinois Traction System, trip to Phillips Bros.....	1.00
Illinois Traction System, trip to Dr. Prince.....	1.67
Mrs. Walter Sarver, butter.....	35.35
P. M. Biwer, stamps, etc.....	13.00
Mrs. Lillian Smith, service.....	13.50
Mrs. J. W. Arthur, service.....	7.50
Pluth Bros., cleaning suits.....	1.00
Lewis Henry, music books.....	1.20
Fred Kaiser, butchering hogs.....	8.00
Fred Alexander, groceries.....	1.52
Lincoln Laundry Co., collars.....	2.09
Mrs. N. Huffman, butter.....	6.60
Central Illinois Telephone Co., tolls.....	3.30
Logan Co. Gas Co., gas.....	46.58
Total	\$ 184.71

Contingent Expenses for the Month of December, 1917.

S. S. Kresge Co., supplies.....	\$ 8.25
Mrs. Walter Sarver, butter.....	62.30
Mrs. J. W. Arthur, service.....	4.00
American Express, expressage.....	12.27
Floyd Weymer, paint, varnish, etc.....	1.45
P. M. Biwer, stamped envelopes, and stamps.....	26.00
Chicago & Alton, freight.....	2.03
A. C. McClurg & Co., ledger.....	1.34
Woolworth & Co., supplies.....	2.00
Illinois Central, freight.....	.38
Aluminum Cooking Co., aluminum ware.....	1.41
C. J. Paesler, shoe repairs.....	3.80
Logan Co. Gas Co., gas.....	52.96
Adams Express Co., expressage.....	2.17
Frank Pfau, drugs.....	1.10
Central Illinois Telephone Co., rent and tolls.....	14.20
Lincoln Laundry Co., collars.....	1.02
Total	\$ 196.68

Contingent Expenses for the Month of January, 1918.

J. J. Cooper, hardware.....	\$ 1.05
Mrs. Walter Sarver, butter.....	20.80
Mrs. Arthur, service.....	1.00
Geo. Knochel, drugs.....	1.17
Chicago & Alton R. R. Co., freight.....	1.17
Lincoln Casket Factory, lumber.....	.70
P. M. Biwer, stamps, etc.....	11.30
Hanger Bros., music books.....	2.40
Holstein Friesian Asociation, registration of calf.....	4.00
Adams Express Co., expressage.....	8.72
Thos. Madigan, taxi service.....	1.00
Thos. Hayes, country sausage.....	3.60
Lauer Bros., hardware.....	1.00
Logan County Gas Co., gas.....	48.12
Peter Van Schaack, drugs.....	.80
Laundry Co., laundry.....	1.35
Central Ill. Telephone Co., tolls.....	4.10
Total	\$ 112.28

Contingent Expenses for the Month of February, 1918.

Adams Express Co., expressage.....	\$ 12.42
Mrs. Walter Sarver, butter.....	30.00
Chicago & Alton, freight.....	2.37
Illinois Central, freight.....	1.01
Logan Co. Farm Bureau, membership.....	10.00
Lincoln Water & Light Co., for fire protection.....	10.00
Illinois Traction System, freight.....	8.53
P. M. Biwer, stamps, postals, etc.....	6.50
Woolworth Co., dishes.....	.60
Mrs. Arthur, service.....	.50
Logan Co. Gas Co., gas.....	52.21
Lauer Bros., hardware.....	2.00
Van Schaack & Sons, drugs.....	1.85
Lincoln Casket Co., lumber.....	1.73
Lincoln Laundry Co., collars.....	1.02
Central Ill. Telephone Co., tolls.....	1.35
Total	\$ 142.09

Contingent Expenses for the Month of March, 1918.

Chicago & Alton R. R. Co., freight.....	\$ 5.13
Mrs. Walter Sarver, butter and eggs.....	74.80
P. M. Biwer, stamps and stamped envelopes.....	29.84

American Express Co., expressage	6.69
Red Cross memberships.....	1.75
Geo. LaBaw, balance on pay.....	1.33
Illinois Traction System, freight.....	2.31
H. James, floor polish.....	4.00
Midden Bros., butterine.....	7.00
Carl Schreiber, butterine.....	3.70
Paul Cutner, music.....	.30
Hanger Bros., music.....	.90
Litchfield Mfg. Co., shaft.....	2.90
Adams Express Co., expressage.....	.77
Logan Co. Gas Co., gas.....	49.99
Frank Pfau, drugs.....	1.00
Lincoln Laundry Co., collars.....	.72
Kresge Co., dishes and supplies.....	2.15
A. H. Barber Co., milk reports.....	1.52
Central Ill., Telephone Co., rental and tolls.....	16.10
Total	\$ 212.90

Contingent Expenses for the Month of April, 1918.

Illinois Traction System, freight.....\$	8.70
Chicago & Alton R. R. Co., freight.....	3.49
Illinois Central R. R. Co., freight.....	11.15
Mrs. N. Huffman, butter and eggs.....	51.20
Mrs. Walter Sarver, butter and eggs.....	61.56
P. M. Biwer, stamps.....	11.80
American Express, expressage.....	13.64
Adams Express, expressage.....	.36
Western Union Telegraph Co., telegrams.....	.72
Central Ill. Telephone Co., tolls.....	1.15
Knockels Drug Store, drugs.....	.68
August Kavelman, repairs.....	1.25
Mrs. Arthur, service.....	5.50
Lincoln Laundry Co., collars.....	1.59
Frank Robinson, for lumber for M. T.....	2.65
Logan Co. Gas Co., gas.....	58.96
Floyd Weymer, paint.....	.85
L. W. Walker, new mail bag.....	.60
Quality Shop, pencils.....	.60
Total	\$ 236.45

Contingent Expenses for the Month of May, 1918.

Crest Lawn Mower Co., repairs.....	\$.80
Adams Express Co., expressage.....	.64
Mrs. N. Huffman, butter.....	63.20
Mrs. Walter Sarver, butter.....	102.00
Chicago & Alton, freight, etc.....	3.24
Illinois Central, freight.....	.90
Illinois Traction System, freight.....	19.65
Deverman & Meyer, repairs on typewriter.....	.50
Pfund Bros., sharpening saws.....	1.30
Dougherty Art Shop, framing picture.....	.65
P. M. Biwer, stamps.....	10.00
Music & Fortman, hardware.....	1.10
Lincoln Nat'l Bank, box rent.....	1.50
F. L. Houghton, registering calf.....	4.00
Central Ill. Telephone Co., tolls.....	5.00
Logan Co. Gas Co., gas.....	47.13
A. B. Bliss, for class picture.....	.50
American Express Co., expressage.....	5.22
Lincoln Laundry Co., collars.....	1.23
Buckbee, seeds	1.70
Total	\$ 270.26

Contingent Expenses for the Month of June, 1918.

Miss Taylor, advanced for ribbon.....	\$ 1.04
J. A. Lucas, advanced for seed.....	1.00
P. M. Biwer, stamps, etc.....	21.50
Illinois Traction System, freight.....	1.80
Buckbee, seed	1.11
Western Union, telegrams.....	.67
Chris Olsen, clock repairs, etc.....	2.65
Mrs. Huffman, butter.....	39.80
Mrs. W. Sarver, butter.....	69.20
Montgomery & Ward, paris-green.....	2.69
Henry Huff, for oil.....	2.15
Chicago & Alton, freight.....	7.02
Illinois Central, freight.....	.95
Floyd Weymer, floor paint.....	.85
American Express, expressage.....	3.49
Mrs. Arthur, for service.....	1.00
Mrs. Chockley, for service.....	3.00

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Central Ill. Telephone Co., tolls, rent.....	13.10
Lincoln Laundry Co., collars.....	1.11
Logan Co. Gas Co., for gas.....	47.70
Total	\$ 221.83

Contingent Expenses for the Month of July, 1918.

Central Illinois Telephone Co.....	\$ 3.25
Illinois Central R. R. Co., freight.....	1.14
Chicago & Alton R. R. Co. freight.....	.52
Illinois Traction System.....	4.02
Western Union, telegrams.....	.95
Mrs. Huffman, butter.....	36.80
Mrs. Sarver, butter.....	52.00
C. J. Paesler, shoe repairs.....	1.45
P M. Biwer, stamps, envelopes, etc.....	24.50
Dust Proof Floor Dressing Co., floor oil.....	9.00
A. L. Salmons, horse hire.....	6.75
F. & N. Lawn Mower Co., repairs.....	5.23
Logan Co. Gas Co., gas.....	65.11
Singer Sewing Machine Co., needles.....	.35
F. N. Hayslip, stationery, etc.....	.62
Hanger Bros., music, etc.....	2.65
Lincoln Laundry Co., collars.....	.36
F. Seymour, potatoes.....	15.20
Total	\$ 229.90

Contingent Expenses for the Month of August, 1918.

Mrs. N. Huffman, butter.....	\$ 36.00
Illinois Traction System, freight, etc.....	6.79
Mrs. Walter Sarver, butter.....	61.20
Chicago & Alton. freight.....	23.26
P. M. Biwer, stamps.....	4.00
J. W. Arthur, service.....	.50
Illinois Central, freight.....	1.88
Della Morehead, service.....	8.25
American Express Co., expressage.....	3.25
Federal Reporting Co., for magazine.....	1.00
Louis Emerson, for truck license.....	3.00
Western Union, telegrams.....	1.30

Carl Schreiber, seed.....	1.50
Martha Schreiber, service.....	5.50
Central Ill. Telephone Co., tolls, etc.....	6.15
Vera Parsons, service.....	5.00
Pfund Bros., repairs.....	1.75
Logan Co. Gas Co., gas.....	51.61
Total	\$ 221.94

Contingent Expenses for the Month of September, 1918.

American Express Co., expressage.....	\$ 21.42
P. M. Biwer, stamps, etc.....	10.80
Illinois Traction System, freight.....	5.02
Illinois Central R. R. Co., freight.....	6.27
Central Illinois Telephone Co., tolls.....	12.45
Mrs. Walter Sarver, butter.....	62.40
Mrs. N. Huffman, butter and eggs.....	30.70
Mrs. O. M. Mathein, service.....	13.88
Van Camp Hardware Co.....	1.33
Chicago & Alton R. R. Co., freight.....	6.43
Lincoln Chautauqua, ground fees.....	3.00
Wright Bros., paper quart pails.....	.90
Logan Co. Gas Co., gas.....	53.73
Western Union Telegraph Co., telegrams.....	1.02
Total	\$ 229.35

ORDERS PAID.

The following statement of the Board indicates orders paid. Vouchers are issued by the Board and countersigned by the Grand Master. These are forwarded to the Grand Secretary, who issues a warrant on the Grand Secretary for the amount of the voucher. The warrant is signed by the Grand Master and countersigned by the Grand Secretary.

For the Month of October, 1917.

Voucher. /	Amount.
8233 Miller & Hart, B. bacon.....	\$ 102.86
8234 H. J. Stockford, repair work.....	92.05
8235 Albert Pick & Co., glasses.....	12.31
8236 Pantagraph Co., supplies.....	1.00

8237	Richard Georgi & Son, gates.....	11.50
8238	Dust Proof Floor Dressing Co., floor oil.....	9.50
8239	R. F. Koehnle, pasturage rental.....	36.36
8240	T. L. Rothwell, 2 cars hay.....	551.60
8241	Lincoln Casket Co., lumber.....	4.91
8242	J. A. Johnson, men, teams, etc.....	117.50
8243	P. H. Peifer, groceries and supplies.....	56.65
8244	Gerard & Lockhart, dry goods.....	14.61
8245	Bucke's shoes.....	150.65
8246	Alexander Lumber Co., lumber.....	11.11
8247	Landauer's, clothing.....	35.95
8248	Dr. F. M. Hagans, medical service.....	46.00
8249	Dr. Pearl Parks, dental service.....	11.25
8250	Loose-Wiles Co., crackers.....	24.76
8251	E. C. Cooper, barbering.....	9.60
8252	Lauer Bros., hardware and supplies.....	31.10
8253	Lincoln Veterinary Co., veterinary service.....	58.00
8254	Wm. Devanny, bread.....	253.05
8255	W. E. Bouillon, plumbing.....	176.21
8256	John V. Farwell Co., dry goods and supplies.....	305.48
8257	Hawk's, groceries.....	630.92
8258	Ed. Kammueler, horse shoeing.....	4.00
8259	Standard Oil Co., oil and axle grease.....	16.43
8260	A. W. Larison, tuning pianos.....	7.50
8261	Adam Denger, meat.....	201.37
8262	Water & Light Co., water and light.....	147.06
8263	Citizens' Coal Co., coal.....	399.00
8264	Van Camp Hardware Co., hardware.....	40.55
8265	Swift & Co., butterine.....	57.60
8266	A. C. McClurg & Co., books and supplies.....	4.85
8267	Fred Alexander, groceries.....	6.05
8268	J. A. Lucas, advanced	211.50
8269	J. A. Lucas, House pay roll.....	695.50
8270	J. A. Lucas, School pay roll.....	280.00
8271	J. A. Lucas, Farm pay roll.....	134.00
8272	J. A. Lucas, contingent expense.....	234.68
8273	George Steere, brass plate.....	2.83
8274	J. W. Birney, Board meeting.....	7.79
8275	A. G. Nauman, Board meeting.....	12.00
8276	J. H. Steiner, Board meeting.....	9.70
8277	W. H. Pease, Board meeting.....	12.00
8278	L. A. Werlich, balance on contract and painting desks..	374.75

Total.....\$5,614.09

For the Month of November, 1917.

Voucher.	Amount.
8279 Troy Laundry Co., supplies.....	\$ 52.17
8280 Worthington Pump Co., repairs.....	6.97
8281 E. C. Cooper, barbering.....	10.20
8282 Dr. F. M. Hagans, medical service.....	43.00
8283 Armour Co., butterine.....	17.40
8284 Adam Denger, meat.....	76.83
8285 Lauer Bros., hardware.....	4.50
8286 Wm. Devanny, bread.....	168.42
8287 Spellman & Co., feed.....	395.46
8288 Miller & Hart, bacon.....	51.68
8289 Prince & Penick, services.....	197.80
8290 Alexander Lumber Co., lumber.....	6.89
8291 P. VanSchaack & Sons, drugs.....	3.25
8292 Wisconsin Cereal Co., coffee.....	5.63
8293 Gerard & Lockhart, dry goods.....	13.87
8294 John V. Farwell, dry goods.....	129.81
8295 Bucke's, shoes and repairs.....	192.55
8296 Van Camp Hardware Co., saws.....	14.90
8297 Albert Carlson, shoe repairs.....	14.13
8298 Loose-Wiles Co., crackers.....	19.02
8299 J. H. Stockford, repairing scales.....	14.09
8300 P. H. Peifer, groceries and supplies.....	748.92
8301 E. D. Shackelford Co., harness repairs.....	31.10
8302 Landauer's, clothing.....	66.03
8303 Hawk's, groceries and supplies.....	896.04
8304 American Seating Co., desks.....	22.75
8305 D. E. Phoads, laying pipe line.....	183.78
8306 Lincoln Machine Shop, repairs.....	77.20
8307 Lincoln Water & Light Co., water and light.....	145.66
8308 Musick & Fortman, hardware.....	7.40
8309 J. A. Lucas, House pay roll.....	704.00
8310 J. A. Lucas, School pay roll.....	280.00
8311 J. A. Lucas, Farm pay roll.....	80.00
8312 J. A. Lucas, advanced	24.00
8313 J. A. Lucas, contingent	184.71
8314 Harry L. March, hog.....	60.00
8315 August H. Kavalman, repairing.....	6.00
8316 J. A. Johnson, corn.....	708.78
8317 Lincoln Veterinary Co., service.....	12.50
8318 Swift & Co., butterine.....	14.40
8319 Quality Shop, curtains.....	39.30
8320 Phillips Bros., reports.....	170.90

8321	W. H. Pease, Board meeting.....	13.33
8322	Dr. A. G. Nauman, Board meeting.....	11.61
8323	J. J. Crowder, Board meeting.....	2.95
8324	J. W. Birney, Board meeting.....	8.45
8325	L. A. Werlich, painting.....	45.00
8326	A. F. Dougherty, glass.....	11.65

Total.....	\$5,995.03
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For the Month of December, 1917.

Voucher.	Amount.
8327 A. F. Dougherty, glass.....	\$ 14.15
8328 Hawk's, groceries and supplies.....	759.40
8329 Adam Denger, meat.....	174.87
8330 Water & Light Co., water and light.....	155.06
8331 P. H. Peifer, groceries.....	6.50
8332 Dehner & Wershey, repairs.....	4.05
8333 A. J. Reinhardt, artificial eye.....	4.50
8334 E. F. Kammueler, horse shoeing.....	3.00
8335 Citizens' Coal Co., November and December coal bills...	878.49
8336 Wm. Devanny, bread.....	262.50
8337 Gerard & Lockhart's, dry goods.....	3.30
8338 Fred C. Alexander, groceries.....	4.97
8339 Bucke's, shoes.....	136.75
8340 Armour & Co., butterine.....	26.55
8341 A. C. McClurg & Co., supplies.....	35.16
8342 Lincoln Veterinary Hospital Co., service.....	13.00
8343 Albert Carlson, shoe repairs.....	33.97
8344 W. E. Bouillon, plumbing.....	49.63
8345 Lauer Bros., hardware.....	2.15
8346 Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co., crackers.....	38.44
8347 Landauer's, clothing.....	36.05
8348 Troy Laundry Co., supplies.....	14.00
8349 Methodist Book Concern, supplies.....	20.54
8350 Peter Van Schaack, alcohol.....	1.35
8351 Van Camp Hardware Co., tank heater.....	5.50
8352 Alexander Lumber Co., lumber.....	5.20
8353 Miller & Hart, B. bacon.....	50.48
8354 Albert Pick & Co., dishes, etc.....	67.16
8355 A. Kavelman, repairs on machinery.....	12.25
8356 E. C. Cooper, barbering.....	7.20
8357 John V. Farwel & Co., dry goods.....	84.85
8358 City of Lincoln, first payment on paving.....	1,148.21
8359 J. A. Lucas, School pay roll.....	280.00

8360	J. A. Lucas, House pay roll.....	704.00
8361	J. A. Lucas, Farm pay roll.....	80.00
8362	Woelfel & Gundlach, hardware.....	3.50
8363	Dr. Pearl Parks, dental service.....	14.00
8364	J. A. Lucas, contingent expense.....	196.68
8365	Dr. F. M. Hagans, medical service.....	37.50
8366	Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., clothing.....	126.67
8367	J. J. Crowder, Board meeting.....	5.25
8368	Dr. A. G. Nauman, Board meeting.....	12.50
8369	W. R. McGaughey, Board meeting.....	2.68
8370	John H. Steiner, Board meeting.....	10.10
8371	Lincoln Commercial Club, membership.....	12.50
8372	Mrs. Ella Brainard, corn.....	271.23
8373	Ed. Eweing, schooping corn.....	4.93

Total.....\$5,820.77

For the Month of January, 1918.

8374	Alexander Lumber Co., lumber.....	\$ 8.40
8375	Dr. F. M. Hagans, medical service.....	60.50
8376	Dr. Pearl Parks, dental service.....	6.25
8377	A. Kavelman, repairs.....	3.90
8378	H. E. Midden Bros., groceries.....	10.02
8379	Wm. Devanny, bread.....	207.20
8380	W. E. Bouillon, plumbing.....	71.73
8381	Hawk's, groceries.....	343.15
8382	Loose-Wiles, cookies and crackers.....	53.72
8383	P. H. Peifer, groceries.....	4.53
8384	Landauer's, clothing.....	32.55
8385	Albert Carlson, shoe repairs.....	44.48
8386	Armour & Co., butterine.....	32.28
8387	A. C. McClurg & Co., books, etc.....	2.06
8388	M. E. Book Concern, supplies (S. S.).....	16.15
8389	E. C. Cooper, barbering.....	10.80
8390	Lincoln Veterinary Hospital Co., service.....	11.00
8391	Bucke's, shoes.....	50.90
8392	Miller & Hart, B. bacon.....	47.57
8393	Van Camp Hardware Co., force pumps.....	2.38
8394	Standard Oil Co., gasoline.....	25.20
8395	A. F. Dougherty, glass.....	5.40
8396	J. A. Lucas, contingent expense.....	112.28
8397	J. A. Lucas, House pay roll.....	694.67
8398	J. A. Lucas, School pay roll.....	280.00
8399	J. A. Lucas, Farm pay roll.....	80.00

8400	Deaconess Home and Hospital, service to Ann Cherry McGill	17.15
8401	L. E. Slick & Co., meal.....	5.15
8402	H. J. Stockford, floors in parlor.....	305.00
8403	Adam Denger, meat.....	164.65
8404	Water & Light Co., water and light.....	162.35
8405	Citizens' Coal Co., coal.....	626.87
8406	Star Publishing Co., stationery.....	17.50
8407	Striffler Bros., ice.....	353.38
8408	Truman Kelso, hauling ice.....	165.18
8409	Dr. Nauman, Board meeting expense.....	10.65
8410	W. H. Pease, Board meeting expense.....	12.65
8411	J. H. Steiner, Board meeting expense.....	9.85
8412	J. J. Crowder, Board meeting expense.....	2.95
8413	W. R. McGaughey, Board meeting.....	2.76
8414	A. W. Larison, tuning pianos.....	8.00
8415	Frank Bollin, sup. assessment Wyatt Ave.....	732.56
Total		\$4,813.77

For the Month of February, 1918.

Voucher.	Amount.
8416 Water & Light, water and light.....	\$ 125.85
8417 Wm. Devanny, bread.....	246.12
8418 A. C. Boyd & Son, hemming carpet.....	1.50
8419 A. F. Dougherty, window glass.....	21.20
8420 Dehner & Wershey, repair on slate roof.....	3.38
8421 H. E. Midden, groceries.....	21.45
8422 Loose-Wiles, crackers.....	55.77
8423 Van Camp Hardware, hardware.....	25.28
8424 Landauer's, clothing.....	16.55
8425 Albert Carlson, shoe repairs.....	65.78
8426 Dr. Pearl Parks, dental service.....	6.25
8427 Armour & Co., butterine.....	26.13
8428 August Kavelman, repairs.....	57.55
8429 E. C. Cooper, barbering.....	6.90
8430 Troy Laundry Co., starch, etc.....	24.37
8431 J. A. Lucas, School pay roll.....	280.00
8432 J. A. Lucas, Farm pay roll.....	100.00
8433 J. A. Lucas, House pay roll.....	677.33
8434 J. A. Lucas, contingent	142.09
8435 John V. Farwell & Co., dry goods (Jan. and Feb. bills) ..	211.14
8436 Hawk's, groceries and supplies.....	344.66
8437 Citizens Coal Co., coal.....	435.80

8438	Adam Denger, meat.....	158.97
8439	Cicero J. Lindley, calf.....	100.00
8440	Bucke's, shoes.....	45.65
8441	Ed. Kammuelier, horse shoeing.....	3.50
8442	Endicott, Johnson & Co., shoes.....	375.94
8443	Clyde Purcell, books.....	9.07
8444	Dr. Hagans, medical services.....	50.00
8445	J. A. Lucas, advanced.....	110.50
8446	A. C. McClurg & Co., supplies.....	12.30
8447	Harrauf Agency, insurance on Girls' new cottage.....	207.00
8448	Callender & Co., steam boiler insurance.....	122.90
8449	Dr. Nauman, Board meeting expense.....	10.68
8450	J. J. Crowder, Board meeting expense.....	3.00
8451	J. H. Steiner, Board meeting expense.....	9.05
8452	W. R. McGaughey, Board meeting expense.....	2.28
Total.....		\$4,115.94

For the Month of March, 1918.

8453	Wm. Devanny, bread.....	\$ 304.50
8454	Hawk's, groceries and supplies.....	382.99
8455	Henry Midden, groceries.....	21.14
8456	Frank Atlass, eggs.....	9.30
8457	Armour & Co., butterine.....	34.35
8458	Spellman & Co., feed and grass seed.....	14.30
8459	John V. Farwell & Co., dry goods.....	106.84
8460	Albert Carlson, shoe repairs.....	15.30
8461	H. J. Stockford, steel beams.....	34.64
8462	Geo. M. Knockel, drugs.....	4.01
8463	Van Camp Hardware, hardware.....	4.95
8464	A. C. McClurg & Co., supplies.....	3.66
8465	Water & Light, water and light.....	117.19
8466	Vestal Chemical Co., supplies.....	17.00
8467	Miller & Hart, bacon.....	49.17
8468	Standard Oil Co., floor oil.....	2.55
8469	A. J. Reinhardt, artificial eye.....	5.50
8470	August Kavelman, repairs.....	2.45
8471	P. H. Peifer, groceries.....	7.30
8472	Gerard & Lockhart, dry goods.....	2.13
8473	Peter Van Schaack, drugs.....	4.50
8474	Dehner & Wershney, repairs on roof.....	50.41
8475	Lincoln Veterinary Hospital, service.....	7.50
8476	Lincoln Machine Shops, repairs.....	29.55
8477	Bucke's, shoes and repairs.....	57.95

8478	Landauer's, clothing.....	54.45
8479	Citizens' Coal Co., coal.....	221.34
8480	Adam Denger, meat.....	144.66
8481	H. W. Buckbee, seeds.....	4.03
8482	J. A. Lucas, School pay roll.....	280.00
8483	J. A. Lucas, Farm pay roll.....	140.00
8484	J. A. Lucas, House pay roll.....	694.00
8485	J. A. Lucas, contingent	212.90
8486	Lauer Bros., hardware and seed.....	22.30
8487	Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co., crackers.....	64.48
8488	Guy LaBaw, electrical work and fixtures.....	29.35
8489	Guy LaBaw, wiring School House.....	136.30
8490	Dr. Frank Hagans, medical service.....	65.00
8491	Dr. Pearl Parks, dental service.....	17.25
8492	A. F. Dougherty, glass.....	13.30
8493	J. A. Lucas, advanced.....	82.63
8494	A. G. Nauman, Board meeting.....	11.80
8495	John J. Crowder, Board meeting.....	3.40
8496	W. H. Pease, Board meeting.....	15.00
8497	John H. Steiner, Board meeting.....	8.50
Total.....		\$3,509.87

For the Month of April, 1918.

8498	Citizens' Coal Co., coal.....	\$ 374.20
8499	C. F. Schroeder, dishes.....	30.70
8500	Edwin Kammuelier, horse shoeing.....	4.00
8501	F. W. Woolworth Co., glasses.....	3.20
8502	Loose-Wiles Co., crackers.....	50.69
8503	John V. Farwell Co., dry goods.....	178.60
8504	Hawks Wholesale Grocery, groceries and supplies.....	412.50
8505	Armour & Co., butterine.....	34.20
8506	Bucke's, shoes.....	59.85
8507	Van Camp Hardware Co., hardware.....	8.80
8508	Dr. T. A. Donald, 3 horses.....	590.00
8509	Fred Reinhardt, tile.....	299.11
8510	Garlock Packing Co., boiler supplies.....	14.43
8511	Heinie Boiler Co., gaskets.....	4.98
8512	E. C. Cooper, hair cuts.....	20.70
8513	Troy Laundry Co., soda.....	22.40
8514	P. H. Peifer, groceries.....	8.82
8515	H. K. Rhoades, ditching.....	278.75
8516	W. H. Martin, straw, clover hay.....	62.64
8517	W. B. Britton, straw, clover hay.....	106.31

8518	Wm. Devanny, bread.....	268.80
8519	Gerard & Lockhardt, dry goods.....	14.10
8520	Landauer's, clothing.....	64.66
8521	Lincoln Water & Light Co., water and light.....	125.34
8522	Miller & Hart, bacon.....	43.51
8523	Eugene Sheer, repairs.....	10.70
8524	Dr. Pearl Parks, dental service.....	10.25
8525	W. E. Bouillon, plumbing.....	21.25
8526	Albert Carlson, shoe repairs.....	25.33
8527	Lincoln Veterinary Co., veterinary services.....	18.00
8528	Standard Oil Co., gasoline and oil.....	26.02
8529	Spellman & Co., grass seed, etc.....	17.80
8530	S. S. Kresge Co., dishes, etc.....	17.91
8531	A. L. Oltz, plastering.....	62.20
8532	Dr. Frank Hagans, medical service.....	50.00
8533	J. A. Lucas, advanced.....	80.52
8534	Star Publishing Co., statements and reports.....	7.00
8535	H. W. Buckbee, seeds.....	46.32
8536	Adam Denger, meat and groceries.....	138.87
8537	Peter Van Schaack, drugs.....	2.63
8538	J. A. Lucas, Farm pay roll.....	150.00
8539	J. A. Lucas, School pay roll.....	261.66
8540	J. A. Lucas, House pay roll.....	688.00
8541	Dr. A. G. Nauman, Board meeting expense.....	11.54
8542	John J. Crowder, Board meeting expense.....	11.50
8543	Wm. H. Pease, Board meeting expense.....	12.00
8544	J. W. Steiner, Board meeting expense.....	8.90
8545	W. R. McGaughey, Board meeting expense.....	7.20
8546	Mrs. Arletta Lopp, Board meeting expense.....	18.00
8547	Mrs. Sadie Carson, Board meeting expense.....	3.00
8548	Mrs. Myrtle Tandy, Board meeting expense.....	7.28
8549	Harauff Agency, insurance.....	108.00
8550	A. F. Dougherty, window glass.....	6.05
8551	J. A. Lucas, contingent expense.....	236.45
Total		\$5,151.17

For the Month of May, 1918.

8552	Star Publishing Co., reports and programs.....	\$ 9.25
8553	Citizens Coal Co., coal	137.88
8554	Dr. Frank M. Hagans, medical service.....	56.00
8555	Gullett & Sons, rose plants.....	13.00
8556	East Lincoln Farmers Grain Co., corn.....	86.40
8557	E. C. Cooper, barbering.....	13.30

8558	John V. Farwell & Co., drygoods.....	183.35
8559	Hawk's, groceries and supplies.....	978.53
8560	Water and Light Co., water and light.....	151.36
8561	Lauer Bros., hardware.....	12.78
8562	Wm. Devanny, bread.....	269.50
8563	Augustine & Co., rose plants.....	2.70
8564	Prince & Penick, services.....	2.50
8565	Eugene Sheer, repairs.....	5.00
8566	Adam Denger, meat and groceries.....	262.61
8567	Armour & Co., nut oleo butterine.....	8.70
8568	Peter Van Schaack, drugs.....	10.34
8569	Landauers, clothing.....	73.20
8570	Spellman & Co., feed.....	12.00
8571	Dr. Pearl Parks, dental services.....	15.25
8572	Miller & Hart, B. bacon.....	51.93
8573	J. A. Lucas, Farm pay roll.....	150.00
8574	J. A. Lucas, School pay roll.....	230.00
8575	J. A. Lucas, House pay roll.....	694.00
8576	P. H. Peifer, groceries.....	13.90
8577	Dehner & Wershey, repairs on buildings.....	34.80
8578	Lucas & Farmer, feed.....	15.13
8579	H. J. Stockford, repairs in boiler room.....	42.60
8580	J. A. Lucas, contingent expense.....	270.26
8581	A. C. McClurg & Co., supplies.....	3.98
8582	Gerard & Lockharts, drygoods.....	22.86
8583	J. H. Steiner, Board meeting expense.....	7.75
8584	John J. Crowder, Board meeting expense.....	4.25
8585	A. G. Nauman, Board meeting expense.....	11.45
8586	Harold Brazelton, lettering of diplomas.....	3.60
8587	I. T. S. Cafe, meals.....	6.00
8588	W. R. McGaughey, Board meeting expense.....	1.80

Total\$3,867.96

For the Month of June, 1918.

8589	Albert Carlson, shoe repairs.....\$	48.38
8590	Armour & Co., butterine.....	17.10
8591	Standard Oil Co., oil.....	15.90
8592	John V. Farwell & Co., drygoods.....	110.53
8593	Van Camp Hardware Co., hardware.....	2.78
8594	Remington Typewriter Co., ribbons.....	7.00
8595	Albert Pick & Co., dishpans.....	12.20
8596	P. H. Peifer, groceries.....	6.75
8597	Alexander Lumber Co., lumber.....	21.88

8598	Landauers, clothing.....	26.90
8599	S. S. Kresge, sundries.....	3.93
8600	Bucke's, shoes	95.80
8601	Hawk's, groceries and supplies.....	182.67
8602	Adam Denger, meat and groceries.....	223.87
8603	Lagonda Mfg. Co., steel cutters.....	10.47
8604	Miller & Hart, B. bacon.....	99.38
8605	Peter Van Schaack, drugs.....	5.75
8606	Troy Laundry Co., soda.....	22.40
8607	Lauer Bros., hardware.....	6.80
8608	Wm. Devanny, bread.....	233.45
8609	Citizens Coal Co., coal.....	67.38
8610	E. C. Coper, hair cuts.....	15.40
8611	Lincoln Water and Light, water and light.....	159.65
8612	Sheer, farm repairs.....	2.80
8613	Ed. Kammuller, horseshoeing.....	9.00
8614	Dr. Pearl Parks, dental service.....	18.00
8615	Dr. F. M. Hagans, medical service.....	32.50
8616	A. F. Dougherty, glass and mirror.....	7.05
8617	J. A. Lucas, contingent expense.....	221.83
8618	J. A. Lucas, House pay roll.....	688.33
8619	J. A. Lucas, School pay roll.....	115.00
8620	J. A. Lucas, Farm pay roll.....	142.00
8621	J. A. Lucas, advance.....	5.00
8622	C. W. Klemm, overalls.....	161.25
8623	Heine Safety Boiler Co., repairs.....	35.95
8624	C. Johnson, corn.....	32.50
8625	Ed Ewing, hay.....	71.92
8626	Dr. F. H. Hagans, clover hay.....	109.06
8627	Gerard & Lockhart, drygoods.....	57.97
8628	J. G. Crowder, Board meeting expense.....	3.75
8629	Wm. H. Pease, Board meeting expense.....	15.00
8630	Wm. H. Pease, investigation expense.....	2.45
8631	Dr. A. G. Nauman, Board meeting expense.....	15.75
8632	Dr. A. G. Nauman, investigation expense.....	1.60
8633	J. H. Stelner, Board meeting expense.....	10.60
8634	James Ewing Davis, legal service.....	50.00
8635	W. R. McGaughey, Board meeting.....	2.40
8636	W. R. McGaughey, telephone calls.....	3.45
Total		\$3,211.53

For the Month of July, 1918.

8637	Lincoln Water & Light, water and light.....	\$ 136.11
8638	Adam Denger, meat and groceries.....	182.60

8639	Dr. Pearl Park, dental service.....	22.50
8640	Lauer Bros., hardware.....	7.03
8641	Bucke's, shoes	49.15
8642	Spellman & Co., feed and seed.....	51.80
8643	Gerard & Lockhart, drygoods.....	5.87
8644	Mrs. J. A. Lucas, advance.....	6.50
8645	Peter Van Schaack, drugs.....	5.22
8646	Miller & Hart, B. bacon.....	51.20
8647	Armour & Co., butterine.....	8.40
8648	Prince & Penick, optical service.....	14.00
8649	Clark Elwell Co., city directory.....	5.00
8650	Hawk's, groceries and supplies.....	265.31
8651	E. C. Cooper, (barbering) haircuts.....	8.40
8652	Albert Carlson, shoe repairs.....	17.20
8653	Landauers, clothing	51.30
8654	Lincoln Vet. Hospital, veterinary service.....	15.50
8655	Dr. F. M. Hagans, medical service.....	60.00
8656	Wm. Devanny, bread.....	209.02
8657	Geo. Knockel, drugs.....	4.59
8658	Edwin Kammuelier, horseshoeing.....	5.75
8659	East Lincoln Farmers' Grain Co., corn.....	450.40
8660	Jim Miller, threshing wheat.....	28.31
8661	H. J. Stockford, repairs on boiler room.....	35.75
8662	J. A. Lucas, advance.....	343.96
8663	J. A. Lucas, House pay roll.....	694.00
8664	J. A. Lucas, Farm pay roll.....	120.00
8665	J. A. Lucas, contingent expense.....	229.90
8666	Quality Shop, window curtains.....	2.25
8667	E. D. Shackelford, harness repair.....	15.50
8668	Citizens Coal Co., coal.....	435.96
8669	Dr. Frederick Fellows, medical service.....	3.15
8670	W. R. McGaughey, Board meeting expense.....	2.40
8671	J. J. Crowder, Board meeting expense.....	3.50
8672	John H. Steiner, Board meeting expense.....	11.84
8673	A. G. Nauman, Board meeting expense.....	13.90
8674	W. R. McGaughey, flynets.....	17.50
Total		\$3,590.77

For the Month of August, 1918.

8675	Albert Pick & Co., dishes.....	\$ 29.45
8676	A. F. Dougherty, window glass.....	7.90
8677	Albert Carlson, shoe repairs.....	22.18
8678	Dearborn Chemical Co., boiler supplies.....	55.88

8679	John V. Farwell & Co., drygoods.....	143.14
8680	Star Publishing Co., reports.....	8.50
8681	Richard Georgi & Son, repairs.....	8.25
8682	Guy La Baw, electrical repairs and supplies.....	8.23
8683	A. B. Bliss, class photographs.....	13.00
8684	A. W. Larison, tuning pianos.....	12.00
8685	J. B. Ford Co., Wyandotte cleaner.....	14.39
8686	Lincoln Water & Light, water and light.....	149.37
8687	Lagonda Mfg. Co., tube cleaner.....	90.00
8688	Hawk's, groceries	503.36
8689	E. D. Shackleford, repairing harness.....	3.35
8690	Wm. Devanny, bread.....	257.95
8691	Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co., crackers.....	7.81
8692	Heinie Safety Boiler Co., tile.....	67.06
8693	Miller & Hart, B. bacon.....	52.80
8694	E. C. Cooper, haircuts.....	12.60
8695	Geo. M. Knockel, drugs.....	2.57
8696	Lincoln Veterinary Hospital Co., service.....	51.40
8697	Landauers, clothing	73.50
8698	Gerard & Lockhart, drygoods.....	4.16
8699	Bucke's, shoes.....	24.90
8700	Spellman & Co., corn meal.....	4.50
8701	Alexander Lumber Co., lumber.....	126.04
8702	Lauer Bros., hardware.....	5.45
8703	S. S. Kresge, supplies.....	7.30
8704	Adam Denger, meat and groceries.....	181.76
8705	Armour & Co., butterine.....	25.80
8706	J. A. Lucas, House pay roll.....	665.85
8707	J. A. Lucas, School pay roll.....	50.00
8708	J. A. Lucas, Farm pay roll.....	130.00
8709	J. A. Lucas, contingent expense.....	221.94
8710	W. E. Bouillon, plumbing repairs.....	89.68
8711	J. A. Lucas, advance.....	199.46
8712	Sherman-Williams Co., paint and oil.....	115.83
8713	Standard Oil Co., gasoline and oil.....	50.59
8714	P. H. Peifer, groceries.....	19.82
8715	D. H. Lahr, oats.....	326.96
8716	Dr. A. G. Nauman, Board meeting expense.....	14.88
8717	J. H. Steiner, Board meeting expense.....	11.42
8718	Wm. H. Pease, Board meeting expense.....	15.35
8719	W. R. McGaughey, Board meeting expense.....	5.32
8720	J. J. Crowder, Board meeting expense.....	3.20

Total\$3,894.90

For the Month of September, 1918.

8721	Armour & Co., butterine.....	17.10
8722	Star Publishing Co., applications.....	20.00
8723	Spellman & Co., feed, etc.....	107.20
8724	M. E. Book Concern, S. S. supplies.....	13.53
8725	John V. Farwell & Co., drygoods.....	60.52
8726	P. H. Peifer, groceries.....	29.15
8727	C. F. Schroeder, dishes.....	13.00
8728	J. A. Lucas, advance, filling silos, ditching.....	459.00
8729	Lauer Bros, hardware.....	37.20
8730	Water & Light Co., water and light.....	166.29
8731	Dr. Pearl Parks, dental work.....	4.25
8732	Lincoln Veterinary Co., veterinary services.....	5.00
8733	S. S. Kresge Co., supplies.....	3.10
8734	Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co., crackers.....	23.45
8735	Standard Oil Co., gas and oil.....	22.15
8736	Adam Denger, meat and groceries.....	244.17
8737	Landauer's, clothing	27.06
8738	Eugene Sheer, repair work.....	12.25
8739	Miller & Hart, B. bacon.....	58.38
8740	Atlanta Home Bakery, bread.....	228.88
8741	E. C. Cooper, barbering.....	11.00
8742	J. A. Lucas, Farm pay roll.....	168.33
8743	J. A. Lucas, House pay roll.....	666.35
8744	J. A. Lucas, School pay roll.....	278.33
8745	J. A. Lucas, contingent expense.....	229.35
8746	Hawk's, groceries and supplies.....	203.65
8747	Edwin Kammuelier, horseshoeing.....	8.00
8748	Dr. Frank Hagans, medical aid.....	102.00
8749	Troy Laundry Co., starch.....	20.00
8750	Wm. H. Pease, Board meeting expense.....	16.00
8751	J. H. Steiner, Board meeting expense.....	12.21
8752	A. G. Nauman, Board meeting expense.....	12.75
8753	Mrs. Sadie Carson, Board meeting expense.....	5.00
8754	J. J. Crowder, investigation and board meeting expense.....	6.50
8755	Mrs. Myrtle Tandy, Board meeting expense.....	6.85
8756	Mrs. Lura B. Latham, Board meeting expense.....	25.00
8757	Mrs. Ellen O. Johnson, Board meeting expense.....	23.85
8758	Mrs. Lottie Sherrer, Board meeting expense.....	5.20
8759	W. R. McGaughey, Board meeting expense and three trips to Lincoln.....	7.86
8760	Citizens' Coal Co., coal.....	500.00

8761	McGaughey & Scott, corn binder and ensilage cutter....	582.50
8762	J. J. Crowder, services as Secretary for Board, 1917-18..	150.00
Total		<u>\$4,592.41</u>

Expenses of I. O. O. F. Home During Past Year.

Groceries	\$ 6,452.16
Meat	2,711.82
Butter	1,242.86
Eggs	86.61
Bread	2,909.39
Dry goods and clothing.....	2,403.39
Water	944.31
Ice	518.56
Light	715.92
House supplies.....	1,861.69
Drugs	47.75
Fuel	4,757.14
General repairs.....	1,492.54
Medical service.....	620.65
Dental service.....	125.25
Optical service.....	233.45
Insurance	437.90
Telephone and telegraph.....	95.87
Stationery, stamps, etc.....	269.99
Barbering	126.10
School supplies.....	420.32
School pay roll.....	2,614.99
House pay roll.....	8,266.03
Farm pay roll.....	1,474.33
Farm repairs.....	1,040.32
Farm supplies, machinery, veterinary, etc.....	1,055.60
Live stock.....	750.00
Stock feed.....	4,536.85
Nursery, plants and seeds.....	231.43
Building Fund and improvements.....	2,864.00
Administration	896.53
Miscellaneous	144.98
Shoes	1,154.24
Shoe repairs.....	377.85
Freight and express.....	298.39
Total.....	<u>\$54,178.21</u>

Products of the Farm.

Chickens and eggs.....	\$ 360.00
Garden	1,003.15
Orchard and vineyard and small fruits.....	95.60
Dairy	6,408.30
Products sold.....	3,659.82
Total	<u>\$11,526.87</u>

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Financial report of the Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Odd Fellows' Orphans' Home of Illinois for the fiscal year ending October 1st, 1918:

Receipts—Maintenance Fund.

Oct. 1, 1917, balance in hands of Grand Treasurer.....	\$ 4,612.39
Grand Lodge appropriation.....	44,000.00
Collections for care of children.....	\$3,906.03
Donations from Rebekah lodges.....	119.35
Donations from Subordinate lodges.....	128.77
Donations from Picnic Association.....	150.00
Donations from individuals	99.30
Sale of Farm products (wheat and corn).....	780.95
Sale of garden products.....	44.40
Sale of live stock.....	2,834.47
Interest on Endowment Fund.....	1,811.75
From Christopher Dahl estate (willed to Home).....	671.56
Meals served at the Home.....	22.50
Sundry refunds.....	56.83
Junk sold.....	71.68
Sale of Manual Training articles.....	9.55
	<u>10,707.14</u>
Total receipts, Maintenance Fund.....	<u>\$59,319.53</u>

Disbursements.

Warrants issued as itemized.....	54,178.21
Balance in Maintenance Fund, Oct. 1, 1918.....	<u>\$ 5,141.32</u>

Furnishing Fund.

Oct. 1, 1917, balance in hands of Grand Treasurer.....\$ 469.42

Receipts—None.

Disbursements—None.

Balance in hands of Grand Treasurer, Oct. 1, 1918.....\$ 469.42

Summary.

Balance in Maintenance Fund, Oct. 1, 1918.....\$ 5,141.32

Balance in Furnishing Fund, Oct. 1, 1918.....469.42

Total balance available, Oct. 1, 1918.....\$ 5,610.74

Summary of Receipts by Months.

1917..

October\$ 926.05

November519.60

December513.36

1918.

January281.50

February1,755.25

March527.46

April357.65

May612.96

June335.81

July1,823.75

August562.58

September2,491.17

Total.....\$10,707.14

Summary of Expenditures by Months.

1917.

October\$ 5,614.09

November5,995.03

December5,820.77

1918.

January4,813.77

February4,115.94

March3,509.87

April5,151.17

May3,867.96

June	3,211.53
July	3,590.77
August	3,894.90
September	4,592.41
Total	\$54,178.21

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. CROWDER, *Secretary*.

CONCLUSION.

We cannot conclude this report without making acknowledgment of the many kindly words and actions of members of the Order throughout the State. Many have visited the Home, and returned to their lodges, enthusiastic in their approval of the work that is being done for the children, and thus the knowledge of our work is spread among the members. We welcome visitors, and believe that one cannot see the Home and its work without becoming a more enthusiastic and active worker in the Order. To those who have made contributions of money, clothing or other supplies, we extend our sincere thanks, for in these times of high prices, such donations are a welcome addition to our store room.

To our teachers, who have worked so faithfully to maintain our school on a high standard, equal to the best of our city schools, we also express our earnest appreciation. Nor should we omit to give due credit for faithful service to our governesses, and to all assistants and employees of the Home. They have been faithful and efficient, and have stood by us loyally, in the face of offers of higher wages in other lines of employment.

The Directors and the Order owe a debt of gratitude that can never be repaid to Dr. and Mrs. Lucas, the Superintendent and Matron of the Home. They have continued their arduous, faithful, efficient services to build up and maintain what we all desire, a real HOME, and not simply an institution.

Finally, Grand Master, we wish to extend our sincere appreciation of the support and assistance of the Grand Master and his associate officers, and the President of the Assembly and her associates. It has been a pleasure to serve under your administration, for your visits and suggestions have contributed not a little to the success that we feel has been attained.

Fraternally submitted,

ARTHUR G. NAUMAN, *President*;
WILLIAM H. PEASE,
JOHN H. STEINER,
W. R. McCAUGHEY,
J. J. CROWDER, *Secretary*.

DIRECTORY

OF THE

I. O. O. F. OLD FOLKS' HOME

LOCATED AT

MATTOON, ILLINOIS

For the Year Ending September 30th, 1918

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INTRODUCTORY

To the Grand Master and Members of the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F. of Illinois:

It is our privilege as well as duty to submit to you the twenty-first Annual Report of the Trustees of the I. O. O. F. Old Folks' Home at Mattoon, Illinois.

This haven of rest for our aged Brothers and Sisters, that has been so generously provided by the open hand and loyal heart of our great fraternity, has, like the rest of our land, felt the ruthless hand of the god of war, for, while our Home has not been called upon for men to carry arms in this great struggle for permanent peace, its heart has been attuned in sympathy with your own individual hearthstones, few of which have escaped the call for some dear one whose heart was brave enough to make, if necessary, the supreme sacrifice, and our Home, like other homes in the nation, points with pride to its Service Flag, whose stars on the field of white represent the sons and grandsons of members of the Home.

Your Board of Trustees, as they met from month to month, leaving not only their business cares but also the more strenuous duties for which they all were called and to which they so willingly responded, in doing their part in aiding our government to make the world free from tyranny, have found the Home to be a friendly oasis, and in truth could say, "Here is friendship, not malice; here is love, not hate; here is truth, not falsehood." They have rejoiced in the thought that during all this terrible conflict Fraternities were still teaching the great lessons of the one Fatherhood of God and the Universal Brotherhood of Man.

There have been twelve withdrawals during the year. Several of these were members whose physical condition had so improved that they could again go out and earn their own living. Many letters have been received expressing their appreciation for the care of the Home in their time of need.

The buildings and grounds have been kept in good repair. Our dairy herd is still being improved, and an air of restfulness permeates all the surroundings.

The Rebekahs have shown their usual interest in the welfare and comfort of our aged Brothers and Sisters and have redecorated and refurnished the large dining room in a manner that brings words of praise not only from the old members, but from visitors as well. The President of the Rebekah Assembly, Sister Irene Cooper, and the Grand Master, Brother H. M. Blood, have made many visits to the Home, and have given aid to the trustees in suggestions and advice.

Deputy Grand Master, Brother L. M. Kagy, has visited the Home frequently, and, being in close touch with the needs of the Home by virtue of his having served seven years on the Board of Trustees, has been able to give inspiration to the members of the Home in his splendid addresses and visitations among them. The Advisory Board has worked in harmony for the best interests of the Home and the members have been faithful in their attendance and labors.

The splendid men and women who have ministered, as employees, to the old members, have been attentive and cheerful in the performance of their duties, and, while many went away under the lure of higher wages, sometimes leaving with little or no notice—thereby placing a great burden upon the Superintendent to keep their places filled—yet their places have been filled by others who would give the same attentive and cheerful service to the Brothers and Sisters; and in this connection we may say that, while the salaries paid at the Home are not high, those who labor with us are able to save from their earnings more than some who accept larger salaries only to find them consumed in additional expenses.

Under the careful watchfulness of Superintendent and Matron, Brother and Sister Sayler, the sanitary conditions of the Home have been maintained to a high degree. The farm and garden are in a high state of cultivation. Entertainments and chapel service for the members have been carefully looked after, and the old Brothers and Sisters generally compose a happy and well regulated family.

One of the most interesting events of the Home during the year was the occasion when faithful service in our Order was recognized by the presentation of a fifty-year jewel to Brother Wm. F. Schaefer; an Odd Fellow for over fifty years and a member of our Home since August 22, 1916. Upon the same occasion was unveiled and hung the Service Flag of the Home, to which reference has already been made.

To all Grand Lodge officers and members, and to the fraternal press we express our keen appreciation for your interest in this Home.

The following detailed report is respectfully submitted:

INVENTORY.

Live Stock.

2 Mules,	1 Brown Mare,
1 Bay Horse,	1 Bull,
1 Black Mare,	3 Brood Sows,
1 Black Horse,	600 Chickens,
15 Milch Cows,	16 Fat Hogs,
5 Yearling Calves,	1 Boar.

Wagons and Implements.

3 Coal Wagons,	2 Platform Scales,
1 Surrey,	1 Hay Tedder,
1 Phaeton,	1 Double Shovel Cultivator,
1 Wagonette,	1 Corn Planter,
1 Mowing Machine,	4 Hand Lawn Mowers,
1 Horse Lawn Mower,	1 Fan Mill,
1 Road Scraper,	3 Sets Work Harness,
1 Hay Rake,	1 Set Driving Harness,
1 Two-horse Breaking Plow.	2 Sets Single Harness,
1 Corn Sheller,	1 Oats Seeder,
2 Farm Wagons,	2 Riding Cultivators,
1 Spring Wagon,	10 Pitchforks,
2 Harrows,	6 Rakes,
1 Disc Harrow,	4 Shovels,
1 Four-horse Riding Plow,	12 Hoes,
1 Roller,	2 Garden Cultivators.

Farm Products on Hand.

1000 bushels Oats,	1800 bushels Corn.
100 bushels Potatoes,	15 bushels Beets,
35 tons Hay,	10 bushels Seed Corn.
4 acres Corn in Silo,	100 bushels Stock Beets,
10 bushels Parsnips,	10 bushels Mango Peppers,
310 quarts Rhubarb,	69 quarts Strawberries,
46 quarts Cherries,	98 quarts Currants.
38 quarts Raspberries,	250 quarts Green Beans,
340 quarts Tomatoes,	3 bushels Dried Beans,
700 glasses Jelly,	190 quarts Tomato Pickle,
10 gallons Pepper Relish,	8 gallons Catsup,
20 gallons Chili Sauce,	20 gallons Grape Butter.
5 gallons Mango Pickle,	

Farm Products Used.

120 dozen Cabbage	\$ 120.00
200 bushels Tomatoes	100.00
10 bushels Beets	6.00
100 bushels Onions	150.00
Rhubarb	40.00
200 pounds Grapes	80.00
10 bushels Mango Peppers	10.00
12,000 gallons Milk	\$3,600.00
500 gallons Strawberries	200.00

200 bushels Potatoes	300.00
3,556 pounds Dressed Pork	569.00
225 pounds Dressed Chicken	50.00
800 dozen Eggs	280.00
3½ bushels Navy Beans	34.13
Total	<u>\$5,539.13</u>

Farm Products Sold.

Hogs	<u>\$1,171.25</u>
Stock Service	19.00
Baled Paper	13.93
Calves	108.00
Junk	44.25
Produce	16.25
Poultry	56.25
Cows	195.00
Oats	392.43
Shoats	9.50
Bull	125.00
Baled Straw	86.68
Hay	18.98
Total	<u>\$2,256.52</u>

VALUATION OF PROPERTY OF I. O. O. F. OLD FOLKS' HOME,
MATTOON, ILLINOIS, OCTOBER 1, 1918.

Personal Property.

Furniture and Fixtures.....	\$ 10,500.00
Bed Linen and Bedding.....	2,000.00
Table Linen	200.00
Miscellaneous Household Goods.....	975.00
Hospital Supplies	350.00
Farm Implements and Tools.....	1,000.00
Farm Live Stock.....	3,200.00
Engineers' and Carpenters' Tools.....	75.00
	<u>\$ 18,300.00</u>

Real Estate.

136 acres of Land, at \$200.00 per acre.....	\$ 27,200.00
Home Buildings	158,100.00
	<u>185,300.00</u>
Total value	<u>\$203,600.00</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1918.

For the Month of October, 1917.

DONATIONS.

Lena Lawman Rebekah Lodge No. 260.....\$ 10.00

FARM SALES.

Old paper\$ 3.07

Total\$ 13.07

For the Month of November, 1917.

COLLECTIONS.

Nov. 2 Two phone messages.....\$.60

Nov. 2 Telegrams50

Nov. 5 Palm Lodge No. 467, funeral of Carl F.
Schmidt 15.00

Nov. 6 Telephone message60

Nov. 9 Covenant Lodge No. 48, funeral of C. H.
Halstead 52.82

Nov. 29 Freight rebate 10.51

\$ 80.03

DONATIONS.

Nov. 3 Crescent Club, Aurelia Rebekah Lodge
No. 161\$ 1.00

Nov. 9 German Speaking Lodge of Chicago..... 5.00

Nov. 9 River Grove Rebekah Lodge No. 389..... 5.00

Nov. 13 Urbana Lodges 75.00

Nov. 23 J. M. Dimmitt, Palestine, Ill..... 1.00

Nov. 24 Excelsior Lodge No. 22..... 5.00

Nov. 24 Cook Co. Picnic and Anniversary Ass'n... 125.00

Nov. 24 LaSalle Lodge No. 101..... 7.50

Nov. 24 Columbia Lodge No. 21..... 25.00

Nov. 24 John J. Crowder, P.G.M..... 1.00

Nov. 24 Harry Hannum.....	.50	
Nov. 24 Carmi Lodge No. 189.....	10.00	
		261.00
Total.....	\$	341.03
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CHRISTMAS DONATIONS.

J. W. Fling, Wyoming.....	\$	5.00
Greater Chicago Lodge No. 822, Chicago.....		20.00
Herrin Encampment No. 201, Herrin.....		10.00
German Rebekahs Old Folks' and Orphans' Home Society, Chicago		15.00
G. J. Feldkamp, Chicago.....		5.00
Rudolph Zajicek, Chicago.....		5.00
Sophia Rebekah Lodge No. 96, Chicago.....		25.00
Aurelia Rebekah Lodge No. 161, Amboy.....		5.00
Lydia Woodford Rebekah Lodge No. 228, Eureka...		5.00
John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary, Springfield.....		10.00
Murrayville Rebekah Lodge No. 76, Murrayville....		5.00
Riverside Rebekah Lodge No. 7, Savanna.....		5.00
Ceres Junior Club, Ceres Rebekah Lodge No. 42, Chicago		5.00
Mite Society, Anchor Rebekah Lodge No. 84, Rock- ford		10.00
Superior Rebekah Lodge No. 18, Chicago.....		5.00
Good Samaritan Lodge No. 540, Chicago.....		5.00
Jenny Lind Sewing Circle, Jenny Lind Rebekah Lodge No. 551.....		10.00
Sewing Circle, W. H. Day Rebekah Lodge, No. 328, Harvey		10.00
H. G. Cormick, Chairman Board Trustees, Centralia		5.00
Sewing Circle, Berwyn Rebekah Lodge No. 758, Berwyn		10.00
Past Noble Grands Club, Ruth Rebekah Lodge No. 10		10.00
Sangamon Lodge No. 6, Springfield.....		5.00
Triple Link Rebekah Lodge No. 577, Springfield....		10.00
Souvenir Lodge No. 831, Chicago.....		5.00
Industrial Workers, Olive Rebekah Lodge No. 57, Urbana		5.00
Owaneco Rebekah Lodge No. 790, Owaneco.....		1.25
June Rebekah Lodge No. 359, Chicago.....		5.00
Fay Rebekah Lodge No. 295, Pana.....		4.65
Rock River Auxiliary, No. 635, Rockford.....		15.00

Mineral Springs Rebekah Lodge No. 352, Okawville	2.50
Lake County Association of Odd Fellows, Libertyville	25.00
Banner Rebekah Lodge No. 160, Chicago.....	5.00
Leah Rebekah Lodge No. 232, East St. Louis.....	5.00
West Salem Rebekah Lodge No. 668, West Salem..	3.00
West Salem Lodge No. 137, West Salem.....	5.00
Chicago Lodge No. 55, Chicago.....	5.00
True Rebekah Lodge No. 455, Anna.....	2.50
Johanna Rebekah Lodge No. 233, Chicago.....	15.00
Crystal Link Rebekah Lodge No. 616, Poplar Grove	5.00
Surprise Rebekah Lodge No. 421, Sheffield.....	5.00
Gresham Lodge No. 448, Chicago.....	5.00
Black Hawk Lodge No. 776, Capron.....	5.00
Adams Rebekah Lodge No. 375, White Hall.....	5.00
Fifty-five Rebekah Lodge No. 6, Chicago.....	2.50
Olive Rebekah Lodge No. 57, Urbana.....	5.00
Three Links Lodge No. 812, Chicago.....	5.00
Degree Staff, Libuse Rebekah Lodge No. 50, Chicago	5.00
Alton Rebekah Lodge No. 475, Alton.....	5.00
Harriet Scoville Rebekah Lodge No. 293, Kankakee	10.00
Prairie Rebekah Lodge No. 622, Hoopeston.....	5.00
Busy Bees, New Excelsior Rebekah Lodge No. 379, Chicago	40.00
Kewanee Rebekah Lodge No. 512, Kewanee.....	10.00
Keystone Rebekah Lodge No. 383, Chicago.....	5.00
Sadoah Rebekah Lodge No. 768, Tilden.....	7.00
Silver Star Rebekah Lodge No. 399, Chicago Heights	5.00
Ruth Rebekah Lodge No. 10, East St. Louis.....	5.00
Orphans' Home Rebekah Lodge No. 9, Lincoln....	10.00
Washburn Lodge No. 546, Washburn.....	5.00
Autumn Sewing Circle, Easter Lily Rebekah Lodge No. 773	10.00
Kate A. Thomas, Ottawa.....	5.00
Diamond Rebekah Lodge No. 384, Riverton.....	2.50

From the above donations we purchased from the following merchants such things as were intended to make a happy Christmas:

A. H. Adler & Son, haberdashery.....	\$ 121.28
Berkowitz & Son, oysters and fruit.....	34.05
H. DeBuhr, 216 pounds dressed turkey....	64.04
Orendorff, 180 empty candy boxes.....	7.50
Orchestra	7.00

200 new crisp One-Dollar Bills.....	200.00	
Balance transferred to Maintenance Fund..	37.03	
Total	\$ 470.90	\$ 470.90
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For the Month of December, 1917.

COLLECTIONS.

Rebate on freight.....	\$ 1.35	
Nelson Lodge No. 7, funeral of Mary E. Milam....	66.00	
Helvetia Lodge No. 480, funeral of Ellen O. Houser	66.00	
		\$ 133.35

DONATIONS.

Erie Lodge No. 38.....	\$ 5.00	
Balance from Thanksgiving fund.....	4.60	
Balance from Christmas fund.....	37.03	
		46.63

FARM SALES.

Three Calves	\$ 65.00	
House supplies	1.00	
225 pounds Dressed Chicken.....	56.25	
Three old Cows.....	195.00	
Stock service	2.00	
		319.25
Total	\$ 499.23	\$ 499.23
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For the Month of January, 1918.

Jan. 4 Home Lodge No. 416, funeral expense J. P. Rasmussen	\$ 66.00	
Jan. 8 Jackson Lodge No. 781, funeral expense Fletcher T. Poole.....	54.84	
Jan. 9 Clayton Lodge No. 312, funeral expense C. P. Hamilton.....	55.51	
Jan. 17 Remembrance Lodge No. 77, funeral Louis Mueller	51.18	
Jan. 24 Olive Lodge No. 96, funeral expense R. B. Day.....	47.50	
Jan. 25 Lincoln Lodge No. 204, funeral expense W. S. Tandy	51.33	
		\$ 326.16

DONATIONS.

Jan. 9	Waukegan Rebekah Lodge No. 340.....	\$ 5.00	
Jan. 11	Lily of the Valley Rebekah Lodge No. 115	10.00	
Jan. 11	Elizabeth Rebekah Lodge No. 720.....	10.00	
Jan. 11	Golden Glow Rebekah Lodge No. 469....	5.00	
Jan. 11	Trenton Rebekah Lodge No. 593.....	2.50	
			32.50

FARM SALES.

Jan. 2	House supplies sold.....	\$ 2.00	
Jan. 2	Stock service	2.00	
Jan. 5	4,275 pounds fat Hogs sold.....	641.25	
Jan. 28	Baled Paper	3.48	
Jan. 31	Stock service	2.00	
			650.73

Total\$1,009.39

For the Month of February, 1918.

COLLECTIONS.

	Rebate on freight, Dairy Food.....	\$ 2.18	
	New Chicago Lodge No. 506, funeral Wm. Deising..	66.00	
			\$ 68.18

CASH DONATIONS.

	Alma Rebekah Lodge No. 163.....	\$ 5.00	5.00
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FARM SALES.

Feb. 1	Old Iron	\$ 2.50	
Feb. 6	Stock service	4.00	
Feb. 13	503.4 bushels Oats @ 78c.....	392.43	
Feb. 13	15,760 pounds Baled Straw @ 55c.....	86.68	
Feb. 20	One Bull	125.00	
Feb. 23	One Calf	18.00	
			628.61

Total\$ 701.79

For the Month of March, 1918.

COLLECTIONS.

Mar. 4	Telephone, Mrs. Webster.....	\$.50	
Mar. 4	Housekeeper	1.60	
Mar. 8	Home Lodge No. 416, funeral John Cronin	47.50	
			\$ 49.60

DONATIONS.

Mar. 12	Genoa Lodge No. 765.....	\$ 6.00	
Mar. 12	Henry Tash, Sr., Catlin Lodge No. 538...	.30	
Mar. 22	Urbana Lodges	75.00	
			\$ 81.30

FARM SALES.

Mar. 30	240 old Sacks.....	\$ 12.00	12.00
	Total	\$ 142.90	

For the Month of April, 1918.

COLLECTIONS.

Apr. 5	Lily of the West Lodge No. 407, funeral ex- pense Louise Haegele.....	\$ 66.00	
Apr. 9	Telegram, Grace Henry.....	.30	
Apr. 10	First Scandinavian Lodge No. 446, funeral expense N. P. Eckstrom.....	66.00	
			\$ 132.30

DONATIONS.

Apr. 5	DeWitt County Picnic and Anniversary association	\$ 25.00	
Apr. 22	Bright Stars of Bohemia Rebekah Lodge..	5.00	
Apr. 22	Praha Rebekah Lodge No. 813.....	5.00	
			35.00

FARM SALES.

Apr. 2	920 pounds old Iron.....	\$ 7.36	
Apr. 2	House supplies sold	4.00	
Apr. 29	House supplies sold	3.00	
			14.36
	Total	\$ 181.66	

For the Month of May, 1918.

COLLECTIONS.

May 6	Grace A. Henry, telephone.....	\$.95	
May 6	Carterville Lodge 703, funeral Wm. Liddell	53.64	

May 11	Robert Blum 58, funeral Rudolph Bandelow	67.50	
May 13	Humbolt Lodge 286, funeral Regina Schaller	47.50	
			\$ 169.59

DONATIONS.

May 25	Blue Bell Rebekah Lodge No. 460.....	\$ 10.00	10.00
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FARM SALES.

May 1	800 pounds old Iron.....	\$ 6.45	
May 11	Two Shoats	9.50	
May 18	Stock service	3.00	
May 20	One Bull Calf.....	25.00	
			43.95

Total	\$ 223.54	=====
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For the Month of June, 1918.

COLLECTIONS.

June 25	Golden Rod Lodge No. 59, funeral James M. Smith	\$ 47.50	
	Storm Insurance.....	53.61	
			\$ 101.11

DONATIONS.

June 5	Albert F. Smith, East St. Louis.....	\$ 4.00	
June 7	Rebekah District No. 20.....	5.00	
June 27	Albert F. Smith, East St. Louis.....	2.00	
			11.00

FARM SALES.

June 5	740 pounds old Paper.....	\$ 2.20	
June 20	Old Iron	5.62	
June 21	2,530 pounds old Hay.....	18.98	
June 21	1040 pounds old Iron.....	8.32	
June 29	Supplies sold	2.00	
			\$ 37.12

Total	\$ 149.23	=====
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For the Month of July, 1918.

COLLECTIONS.

July 5	Irving Park Lodge No. 190, funeral Charles T. Eck.....	\$ 72.50	
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July 10	Mrs. Cole for shoes.....	4.00	
July 11	Green Valley Lodge No. 308, funeral Fred Gunzenheiser	67.50	
July 23	W. J. Lyon.....	16.00	
			\$ 160.00

DONATIONS.

July 10	Fannie Rebekah Lodge No. 53.....	\$ 5.00	5.00
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FARM SALES.

July 20	Stock service	\$ 3.00	
July 22	660 pounds Baled Paper.....	1.98	
July 31	Supplies	1.75	
			6.73
Total	.....	\$ 171.73	

For the Month of August, 1918.

COLLECTIONS.

Aug. 23	Blue Bell Rebekah Lodge No. 460, part payment funeral Mary E. Small.....	\$ 50.00	
Aug. 29	Rebate on freight.....	10.09	
			\$ 60.09

DONATIONS.

Aug. 13	Mt. Sterling Rebekah Lodge No. 190.....	\$ 5.00	
Aug. 13	Silver Moon Rebekah Lodge No. 35.....	5.00	
			10.00

FARM SALES.

Aug. 5	Stock service	\$ 3.00	
Aug. 16	One lot Stock Hogs.....	\$ 530.00	
			533.00
Total	.....	\$ 603.09	

For the Month of September, 1918.

COLLECTIONS.

Sept. 1	Mrs. Currier, telephone.....	\$.15	
Sept. 1	Mrs. Ramsey, telephone.....	.80	
Sept. 7	South Chicago Lodge No. 751, funeral Chas. Wickliffe	67.50	
Sept. 7	Hazel Dell Rebekah Lodge No. 285, part payment funeral Elsie Roan.....	25.50	

Sept. 7	G. W. Storm, telephone.....	.15	
Sept. 7	Mr. Rogers, telephone.....	.70	
Sept. 7	May Brown, telephone.....	.20	
Sept. 7	Mrs. Currier, telephone.....	.15	
		\$ 95.15	
	Trustees' check, maintenance of members.....	\$1,581.68	
	G. L. Warrant 5429, interest endowment.....	2,069.80	
			\$3,746.63

DONATIONS.

Sept. 3	Humboldt Rebekah Lodge No. 704.....	\$ 5.00	5.00
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FARM SALES.

Sept. 11	Baled Paper	\$ 3.20	
Sept. 28	Old Chairs	4.50	
			7.70
Total		\$3,759.33	

For Endowment Fund—

Trustees' check to credit of members.....	\$ 186.00	
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Summary of Receipts by Months.

1917—

For October	\$ 13.07
For November	341.03
For December	499.23

1918—

For January	1,009.39
For February	701.79
For March	142.90
For April	181.66
For May	223.54
For June	149.23
For July	171.73
For August	603.09
For September	3,759.33
	\$7,795.99

For Endowment Fund—

Trustees' check to credit of members.....	\$ 186.00	
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DISBURSEMENTS.

Vouchers Issued November 5, 1917.

Voucher.	Amount.
8533 Graham Paper Co., toilet paper.....	\$ 22.50
8534 Gill R. Capen, plumbing.....	29.90
8535 Coles Co. Telephone & Telegraph Co., service October..	10.65
8536 Sawin, Jones & Co., dry goods.....	15.55
8537 C. W. Harris, seeds and beans.....	23.43
8538 Jack Brooks, barbering.....	39.70
8539 Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Chas. H. Halsted...	52.83
8540 Cross, Wells & Co., tables.....	18.00
8541 Chicago Carbonic Gas Co., 3 cylinders gas.....	9.00
8542 Colburn, Burks & Co., drugs.....	23.35
8543 C. I. Pub. Service Co., lamps.....	19.25
8544 Henry DeBuhr, feed and seeds.....	19.75
8545 O. B. Furry, barbering.....	12.45
8546 Hogendoebler & Co., house supplies.....	6.18
8547 Hendren Bros., shoe repairs.....	25.40
8548 Kroeschell Ice Mfg. Co., repairs.....	7.26
8549 Mac Sparks, furnishings.....	19.50
8550 McCusker & Albert, groceries.....	2.00
8551 Edgar A. Murry Co., Bug Doom.....	42.00
8552 E. B. Millar, coffee.....	44.33
8553 Marion Co. Coal Co., coal.....	330.88
8554 National Biscuit Co., crackers and cakes.....	9.33
8555 Frank & M. Spitz, clothing.....	15.00
8556 Standard Oil Co., oils.....	45.84
8557 Thomas & Clarke, crackers and cakes.....	14.81
8558 E. R. Sayler, pay roll.....	813.70
8559 E. R. Sayler, contingent expense.....	255.99
8560 C. E. Boyer, Board meeting.....	13.23
8561 C. S. Harris, Board meeting.....	11.00
8562 H. G. Cormick, Board meeting.....	4.57
8563 A. J. Mourer, Board meeting, \$8.50; investigation, \$4.20	12.70
8564 J. W. Yantis, meetings, \$8.60; expense, \$13.20.....	21.80
Total to maintenance..	\$1,991.88

Vouchers Issued December 4, 1917.

Voucher.	Amount.
8565 Phillips Bros., printing Reports.....	\$ 131.20
8566 Sawin, Jones & Co., dry goods.....	13.59
8567 Hogendoebler & Co., house supplies.....	31.32
8568 Armour & Co., meat, \$402.82; groceries, \$98.34.....	501.16

8569	Armour & Co., meat and groceries in October.....	\$1,025.94
8570	A. D. Persels, meats.....	102.56
8571	American Milling Co., stock feed.....	21.75
8572	A. H. Adler, clothing.....	87.75
8573	Marion Co. Coal Co., coal.....	502.15
8574	Forest Creamery Co., butter, October.....	225.51
8575	Forest Creamery Co., butter, November.....	166.83
8576	Fischer Bros. D. G. Co., clothing.....	138.85
8577	Oakford & Fahnestock, groceries and tobacco, October..	336.02
8578	Oakford & Fahnestock, groceries, November.....	319.70
8579	Hulman & Co., groceries and tobacco, Oct. and Nov....	126.17
8580	Coles Co. Telephone & Telegraph Co., Service, November	9.80
8581	Dr. T. A. Bryan, house physician.....	25.00
8582	Dr. C. E. Comer, dental service.....	9.00
8583	C. S. Hayward, veterinary service.....	29.34
8584	Henry DeBuhr, feed.....	70.30
8585	Louis Katz & Sons, clothing.....	17.37
8586	Cross, Wells Co., house supplies.....	35.50
8587	Owings Drug Co., hospital supplies.....	20.65
8588	Phil G. Woliung, blacksmithing.....	25.75
8589	Thomas & Clarke, crackers and cakes.....	42.73
8590	White & Hansen, plumbing.....	77.40
8591	Thatcher Bros., labor on steam plant.....	22.30
8592	J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co., mops and brushes.....	19.90
8593	Gabbert Lumber Co., posts and fencing.....	11.62
8594	Jno. R. Gourley, harness and repairs.....	22.31
8595	Standard Oil Co., 50 gallons gasoline.....	10.50
8596	F. A. Thompson & Co., roach powder.....	3.75
8597	Mattoon Clear Water Co., service, Sept. and Oct., \$140.53; Nov., \$77.23	217.76
8598	E. B. Millar & Co., coffee.....	43.93
8599	Klohr Bros., bread, October.....	157.40
8600	Klohr Bros., bread, November.....	147.70
8601	Kroeschel Bros. Ice Co., supplies.....	15.50
8602	Chicago Engineer Supply Co., tools and supplies.....	121.01
8603	Central Electric Co., electric supplies.....	15.89
8604	Colburn, Burks & Co., drugs.....	81.50
8605	Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Ellen Hauser.....	51.00
8606	Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Mary E. Milam.....	51.00
8607	Jack Brooks, barbering.....	64.90
8608	Butler Bros., house supplies.....	15.80
8609	M. H. Cox, groceries.....	15.99
8610	Calumet Tea & Coffee Co., groceries.....	9.50
8611	Central Illinois Pub. Service Co., lamps.....	6.60

8612	J. D. Andrews Lbr. Co., lumber.....	\$ 189.01
8613	Queen Insurance Co. of America, fire insurance.....	156.43
8614	E. R. Saylor, pay roll.....	800.10
8615	E. R. Sayler, contingent account.....	562.49
8616	Chas. S. Harris, Board meeting, \$11.36; investigation \$6.87	18.23
8617	H. G. Cormick, Board meeting.....	4.70
8618	A. J. Mourer, Board meeting.....	8.25
8619	J. W. Yantis, Board meeting, \$1.90; investigation, \$4.50	6.40
Total		\$6,944.81
Maintenance		\$6,755.80
Building		189.01
Total		\$6,944.81

Vouchers Issued January 7, 1918.

Voucher.	Amount.
8620 Dr. T. A. Bryan, medical service.....	\$ 25.00
8621 Dr. C. E. Morgan, medical service.....	4.00
8620 Frank Cox, insurance Ferguson property.....	4.00
8623 Owings Drug Co., drugs.....	6.26
8624 Henry DeBuhr, feed.....	6.95
8625 A. H. Adler, clothing.....	28.75
8626 J. D. Andrews Co., lumber.....	11.81
8627 Armour & Co., meat and groceries.....	442.60
8628 American Milling Co., feed.....	44.50
8629 Becker Bros, light plant supplies.....	88.02
8630 Burt Berry, one dozen brooms.....	8.50
8631 Butler Bros., house supplies.....	36.55
8632 Jack Brooks, barbering.....	54.20
8633 Coles Co. Telephone & Telegraph Co., service December	10.85
8634 Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Louis Mueller.....	51.18
8635 Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral James P. Rasmussen	51.00
8636 Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Fletcher Pool.....	54.54
8637 Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Commodore P. Ham- ilton	55.51
8638 Colburn, Burks & Co., drugs.....	59.90
8639 Chicago Engineers Supply Co., engine supplies.....	44.15
8640 Chicago Carbonic Gas Co., 2 cylinders gas.....	6.00
8641 Central Illinois Pub. Service Co., lamps.....	11.50
8642 Forest Creamery Co., butter.....	178.46
8643 Gabbert Lumber Co., glass.....	3.90
8644 Graham Paper Co., compound.....	6.25
8645 Hogendobler Co., house supplies.....	5.38

8646	J. R. Hamilton, coal.....	\$ 178.54
8647	J. W. Harris & Co., coal.....	160.80
8648	Hulman & Co., groceries and tobacco.....	65.62
8649	J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co., mops and brushes.....	26.90
8650	J. W. Johnson Mfg. Co., shoes.....	6.50
8651	Klohr Bros., bread.....	142.68
8652	H. Kohnstamm, 1 bbl. starch.....	27.65
8653	Mattoon Clear Water Co., service December.....	72.74
8654	E. B. Millar & Co., coffee.....	43.39
8655	Marion Co. Coal Co., coal.....	633.62
8656	A. D. Persels, butchering.....	4.20
8657	Oakford & Fahnestock, groceries and tobacco.....	732.58
8658	Theo. B. Robertson Co., house supplies.....	8.33
8659	Sawin, Jones Co., dry goods.....	9.48
8660	S. C. Scott, spectacles and watch repairs.....	6.05
8661	Mac Sparks, house supplies.....	11.35
8662	Roy L. Slover, repairs.....	68.90
8663	Standard Oil Co., oils.....	34.95
8664	Thomas & Clarke, crackers and cakes.....	53.31
8665	Phil G. Wollung, blacksmithing.....	27.20
8666	White & Hansen, plumbing.....	78.19
8667	Pitkin Printing Co., printing.....	25.50
8668	E. R. Sayler, contingent.....	489.43
8669	E. R. Sayler, pay roll.....	851.95
8670	H. G. Cormick, Board meeting.....	4.80
8671	A. J. Mourer, Board meeting and investigation.....	11.25
8672	C. E. Boyer, Board meeting and investigation.....	13.76
8673	C. S. Harris, Board meeting and investigation.....	14.00
8674	J. W. Yantis, Board meeting and expense.....	4.90
8675	J. W. Yantis, Secretary's salary.....	50.00
Total		\$5,158.33
Maintenance		\$5,158.33

Vouchers Issued February 4, 1918.

Voucher.	Amount.
8676 Klohr Bros., bread.....	\$ 138.80
8677 Coles Co. Telephone & Telegraph Co., service January..	14.65
8678 Central Illinois Pub. Service Co., service 2 months.....	75.00
8679 Armour & Co., meat, \$347.23; cheese, \$24.10.....	371.33
8680 American Milling Co., stock feed.....	45.50
8681 Jack Brooks, barbering.....	64.50
8682 Dr. T. A. Bryan, house physician, 2 months.....	50.00
8683 Butler Bros., house supplies.....	15.55

8684	Burt Berry, brooms.....	\$ 8.50
8685	Colburn, Burks & Co., drugs.....	77.51
8686	Central Electric Co., supplies.....	23.95
8687	Central Illinois Pub. Service Co., lamps.....	14.50
8688	Chicago Carbonic Gas Co., 2 drums gas.....	6.00
8689	Chicago Engineers Supply Co., steam repairs.....	54.20
8690	Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral R. B. Day.....	47.50
8691	Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral W. S. Tandy.....	51.33
8692	Henry DeBuhr, feed	19.40
8693	Forest Creamery Co., butter, 3 bills.....	195.53
8694	Fischer Bros., dry goods.....	71.28
8695	Graham Paper Co., toilet paper.....	20.83
8696	John R. Hamilton Coal Co., coal.....	28.13
8697	Hogendoebler & Co., house supplies.....	9.47
8698	Hulman & Co., groceries.....	73.10
8699	Kelly & Sons, groceries and butter.....	27.99
8700	Kroeschell Bros. Ice Mfg. Co., repairs.....	6.39
8701	H. Kohnstamm, laundry supplies.....	4.33
8702	Dr. C. E. Morgan, medical service.....	5.00
8703	Mattoon Clear Water Co., service January.....	79.48
8704	H. B. Mathews, electric supplies.....	8.30
8705	E. B. Millar & Co., coffee.....	43.37
8706	Marion Co. Coal Co., 5 cars coal.....	486.02
8707	M. & B. Mercantile Co., sheeting.....	84.50
8708	Persels Sanitary Market, meat.....	47.12
8709	Oakford & Fahnestock, groceries.....	552.95
8710	Sawin, Jones Co., dry goods.....	9.81
8711	Mac Sparks, house furnishings.....	91.25
8712	F. & M. Spitz, clothing.....	9.00
8713	Standard Oil Co., oils.....	14.45
8714	F. A. Thompson & Co., roach powder.....	3.75
8715	Thomas & Clarke, crackers and cakes.....	31.20
8716	Wardsworth H. & H. Co., paint.....	26.75
8717	Allen Filter Service, rent on filter.....	5.00
8718	E. R. Saylor, contingent expense.....	402.54
8719	E. R. Saylor, pay roll.....	890.15
8720	H. G. Cormick, Board meeting.....	5.36
8721	C. S. Harrls, Board meeting.....	10.00
8722	Chas. E. Boyer, Board meeting, \$11.30; investigation, \$6.46	17.76
8723	A. J. Mourer, Board meeting.....	7.00
8724	J. W. Yantis, Board meeting.....	3.90

Total\$4,349.93

To maintenance\$4,349.93

Vouchers Issued March 11, 1918.

Voucher.	Amount.
8725 Central Illinois Pub. Service Co., electric lights.....	\$ 76.20
8726 Jno. R. Hamilton Coal Co., coal.....	180.74
8727 J. W. Harris Co., coal.....	129.31
8728 Theodore C. Keller, coal.....	139.87
8729 Allen Filter Service, water filter.....	5.00
8730 A. H. Adler, clothing.....	95.22
8731 Armour & Co., meat, \$351.91; groceries, \$281.63.....	633.54
8732 Am. Milling Co., stock feed.....	91.00
8733 Jack Brooks, barber.....	12.00
8734 H. T. Bloom & Co., shirts.....	151.50
8735 Burt Berry, brooms.....	17.00
8736 Coles Co. Telephone and Telegraph Co., service.....	10.15
8737 Colburn, Burks & Co., drugs.....	78.33
8738 Central Illinois Pub. Service Co., lamps.....	23.58
8739 Central Electric Co., supplies.....	26.17
8740 Chicago Engineers Supply Co., steam plant.....	20.72
8741 Campbell Undertaking Co., Haegele.....	51.00
8742 Campbell Undertaking Co., Cronin.....	47.50
8743 Campbell Undertaking Co., Desing.....	51.00
8744 Chicago Carbonic Gas Co., gas.....	9.00
8745 M. H. Cox, groceries.....	5.12
8746 Henry DeBuhr, seed.....	19.75
8747 O. B. Furry, barbering.....	25.55
8748 Frost Mfg. Co., repairs.....	3.50
8749 Forest Creamery Co., butter.....	113.34
8750 Fisher Bros. Dry Goods Co., towels.....	24.00
8751 Goldsmith & Co., butter.....	18.60
8752 Hogendobler & Co., supplies.....	6.92
8753 Hulman & Co., paint, \$3.00; groceries, \$147.27.....	150.27
8754 R. F. Huber, roof and repairs.....	194.30
8755 Illinois Central R. R. Co., coal.....	146.88
8756 Illinois Central R. R. Co., coal.....	99.84
8757 Klohre Bros., bread.....	126.54
8758 Lewis Katz & Son, clothing.....	16.20
8759 Mattoon Clear Water Co., water February.....	69.17
8760 V. Mueller & Co., splint.....	10.00
8761 Edgar A. Murry Co., Bug Doom.....	45.00
8762 H. A. McClurg & Co., stationery.....	3.39
8763 E. B. Millar & Co., coffee.....	44.91
8764 Marion Co. Coal Co., coal.....	514.78
8765 National Sanitary Ass'n, germ destroyer.....	18.00
8766 Oakford & Fahnestock, groceries.....	208.52

8768	Pitkin Printing Co., printing.....	\$ 5.00
8768	Sawin, Jones & Co., clothing.....	14.11
8769	Gus Schlicher, house supplies.....	11.75
8770	Standard Oil Co., oil.....	63.81
8771	Thomas & Clarke, bread.....	29.77
8772	Thatcher Bros., repairs	18.49
8773	O. B. Weber, farm supplies.....	9.52
8774	Wadsworth-Howland Co., paint.....	18.00
8775	White & Hansen, steam plant.....	331.04
8776	Phil G. Woliung, blacksmithing.....	50.00
8777	E. R. Sayler, contingent, \$245.68; pay roll, \$855.05.....	1,100.73
8778	H. G. Cormick, investigation, \$6.78; Board meeting, \$5.23	12.01
8779	A. J. Mourer, Board meeting.....	8.20
8780	Chas. E. Boyer, Board meeting.....	11.58
8781	Chas. S. Harris, investigation, \$12.00; Board meeting \$10.00	22.00
Total		\$5,419.42
Maintenance		\$5,419.42

Vouchers Issued April 8, 1918.

Voucher.	Amount.
8782 Earl W. Thomas, insurance.....	\$ 202.96
8783 Geo. E. Cole & Co., one cash book.....	2.25
8784 Coles Co. Telephone & Telegraph Co., service March....	9.20
8785 White & Hansen, plumbing.....	173.79
8786 American Milling Co., feed.....	10.65
8787 A. H. Adler, clothing.....	47.20
8788 J. D. Andrews, lumber.....	84.93
8789 Armour & Co., groceries and meat.....	362.69
8790 Bromley-Mirsems Mfg. Co., repairs dish-washer.....	16.25
8791 Central Elec. Co., supplies.....	16.60
8792 Dr. C. E. Comer, dentistry.....	8.50
8793 Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Niles P. Eckstrom..	51.00
8794 Central Illinois Pub. Service Co., lamps.....	9.88
8795 Colburn, Burks & Co., drugs.....	71.12
8796 Chicago Carbonic Gas Co., 3 drums gas.....	10.50
8797 Chicago Engineers Supply Co., gaskets.....	7.20
8798 Henry DeBuhr, seeds and feed.....	17.16
8799 Central Illinois Pub. Service Co., service March.....	19.80
8800 O. B. Furry, barbering.....	49.15
8801 Gabbert Lumber Co., lumber.....	98.13
8802 Goldsmith & Co., Troco, \$111.60; potatoes, \$37.50.....	149.10
8803 Graham Paper Co., sweeping compound.....	3.75
8804 Hogendoebler & Co., house supplies.....	31.74

8805	Jno. R. Hamilton Coal Co., coal.....	\$ 42.08
8806	Hulman & Co., groceries, \$91.40; tobacco, \$1.92.....	93.32
8807	Mattoon Clear Water Co., service March.....	73.83
8808	Klohr Bros., bread	134.72
8809	H. B. Mathews, bell repairs.....	17.00
8810	J. W. Mason, carpenter repairs.....	16.80
8811	E. B. Millar & Co., coffee.....	42.62
8812	Marion Co. Coal Co., coal.....	536.23
8813	McCusker & Albert, lemons.....	3.00
8814	Owings Drug Co., drugs.....	13.30
8815	Oakford & Fahnestock, groceries, \$154.03; tobacco, \$28.80	182.83
8816	Sawin, Jones & Co., dry goods.....	6.82
8817	S. C. Scott, watch and spectacle repairs.....	5.35
8818	Geo. B. Swan, hardware	16.50
8819	Mac Sparks, house supplies.....	46.25
8820	Standard Oil Co., oils.....	23.73
8821	Roy Slover, repairing chimney.....	27.00
8822	Thomas & Clarke, crackers and cakes.....	44.22
8823	Phil G. Woliung, blacksmithing.....	5.50
8824	The Wheat Meal Co., breakfast food.....	12.54
8825	E. R. Sayler, contingent expense.....	478.48
8826	E. R. Sayler, pay roll.....	848.25
8827	J. W. Yantis, Secretary's salary.....	50.00
8828	H. G. Cormick, Board meeting.....	4.32
8829	C. E. Boyer, Board meeting.....	11.90
8830	A. J. Mourer, Board meeting, \$7.50; investigation, \$5.50	13.00
8831	C. S. Harris, Board meeting.....	11.15
8832	J. W. Yantis, Board meeting.....	4.40
8833	Nellie L. Harris,.....	11.00
8834	Grace Henry	15.25
8835	Lina D. Carlin	10.00
8836	Cora Neff Phillips.....	10.60

Total\$4,265.54

Maintenance\$4,265.54

Vouchers Issued May 6, 1918.

Voucher.	Amount.
8837 O. B. Furry, barbering.....	\$ 56.80
8838 Dodge Grove Cemetery, filling and grading lot.....	40.00
8839 Coles Co. Telephone and Telegraph Co., service.....	9.20
8840 Frank & Monte Spitz, clothing.....	20.25
8841 Sawin, Jones & Co., dry goods.....	54.30
8842 Fred White, plumbing.....	8.98
8843 J. W. Harris, coal.....	124.28

8844	Hogendoebler & Co., house supplies.....	\$ 13.66
8845	Henry DeBuhr, seeds and feed.....	22.70
8846	J. W. Johnson, shoes.....	16.00
8847	A. H. Adler, clothing.....	34.11
8848	Armour & Co., groceries, \$52.45; meat, \$397.56.....	450.01
8849	Burt Berry, brooms	21.60
8850	Butler Bros., house supplies.....	6.60
8851	Dr. C. E. Comer, dental service.....	15.50
8852	M. H. Cox, groceries.....	10.80
8853	Churchill Drug Co., drugs.....	73.85
8854	Chicago Engineers Supply Co., repairs.....	26.32
8855	Chicago Carbonic Gas Co., 1 cylinder gas.....	3.50
8856	Central Electric Co., electric supplies.....	4.37
8857	Central Illinois Pub. Service Co., lamps.....	24.20
8858	Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Wm. Liddell.....	53.64
8859	Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Chas. T. Eck.....	57.50
8860	Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Regina Schaller....	47.50
8861	Forest Creamery Co., butter.....	36.48
8862	John R. Gourley, harness repairs.....	27.10
8863	Goldsmith & Co., Troco.....	35.70
8864	Graham Paper Co., toilet paper.....	26.25
8865	Hulman & Co., groceries.....	141.10
8866	H. Kohnstamm & Co., 5 yards ducking.....	23.80
8867	J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co., mops and brushes.....	40.70
8868	Klohr Bros., bread.....	140.41
8869	E. B. Millar & Co., coffee.....	42.24
8870	Marion Co. Coal Co., coal.....	459.25
8871	Owings Drug Co., drugs.....	15.95
8872	Oakford & Fahnestock, groceries, etc.....	222.60
8873	Liquid Carbonic Co., 50 pounds gas.....	3.50
8874	Mac Sparks, furnishings.....	15.00
8875	Persells' Meat Market, meats.....	86.95
8876	Standard Oil Co., oils.....	67.68
8877	Phil G. Woliung, blacksmithing.....	14.40
8878	E. R. Sayler, contingent expense.....	292.29
8879	E. R. Sayler, pay roll.....	899.20
8880	H. G. Cormick, Board meeting.....	3.76
8881	C. S. Harris, Board meeting.....	10.00
8882	C. E. Boyer, Board meeting, \$12.10; investigation. \$5.32	17.42
8883	A. J. Mourer, Board meeting.....	7.50
8884	J. W. Yantis, Board meeting and expense.....	5.20
8885	Chas. S. Harris, money advanced taxes, etc.....	6.39

Total\$3,836.54

Maintenance\$3,836.54

Vouchers Issued June 7, 1918.

Voucher.	Amount.
8886 J. A. Goetz, fencing.....	\$ 84.73
8887 Mattoon Imp. & Buggy Co., castings and repairs.....	272.08
8888 H. B. Mathews, repairs electric plant.....	10.50
8889 R. F. Huber, repairing roofs.....	181.20
8890 Phil G. Woliung, blacksmithing.....	14.85
8891 Sawin, Jones & Co., dry goods.....	17.60
8892 Henry DeBuhr, feed and seed.....	26.40
8893 A. H. Adler, clothing.....	13.05
8894 Armour & Co., meats, \$492.42; groceries, \$97.35; laundry, \$44.06	633.83
8895 Armour & Co., groceries.....	75.00
8896 H. T. Bloom & Co., shirts.....	36.63
8897 Butler Bros., clothing	53.36
8898 Hogendoebler Co., house supplies.....	29.29
8899 Dr. C. E. Comer, dentistry.....	17.00
8900 Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Elsie Roan.....	47.50
8901 Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Rudolph Bandelow	52.50
8902 Churchill Drug Co., drugs	145.06
8903 Central Illinois Pub. Service Co., service April.....	14.40
8904 Cudahy Packing Co., soap.....	25.50
8905 Chicago Carbonic Gas Co., 3 drums gas.....	10.50
8906 Central Electric Co., supplies.....	7.55
8907 Chicago Engineers Supply Co., supplies.....	51.80
8908 Central Illinois Pub. Service Co., service in May.....	30.50
8909 Fischer Bros., clothing.....	149.00
8910 O. B. Furry, barbering.....	24.35
8911 Gabbert Lumber Co., lumber and fencing.....	84.18
8912 Goldsmith & Co., Troco.....	122.40
8913 Hogendoebler & Co., house supplies.....	42.21
8914 Hulman & Co. groceries.....	210.67
8915 Klohr Bros., bread.....	125.76
8916 H. Kohnstamm & Co., laundry supplies.....	44.75
8917 Mattoon Clear Water Co., service April and May.....	152.59
8918 Edgar A. Murry Co., Bug and Roach Doom.....	54.00
8919 E. B. Millar & Co., coffee.....	42.43
8920 Marion Co., Coal Co., coal.....	802.28
8921 Oakford & Fahnestock, groceries.....	178.12
8922 Owings Drug Co., drugs.....	9.30
8923 Frank J. Ritter, paint.....	15.70
8924 Standard Oil Co., gasoline.....	12.38
8925 Thomas & Clarke, crackers and cakes.....	39.12
8926 Fred White, plumbing.....	141.35
8927 Wadsworth-Howland Co. paint.....	40.00

8928	E. R. Sayler, contingent.....	\$ 288.58
8929	E. R. Sayler, pay roll.....	894.45
8930	Chas. S. Harris, Board meeting.....	10.00
8931	Chas. E. Boyer, Board meeting.....	11.60
8932	A. J. Mourer, Board meeting and investigation.....	11.75
8933	J. W. Yantis, Board meeting and investigation.....	11.65
8934	T. A. Bryan, medical service.....	100.00
Total		\$5,469.45
To maintenance		\$5,469.45

Vouchers Issued July 5, 1918.

8935	R. J. Coultas, optical service.....	\$ 4.00
8936	Mattoon Imp. & Buggy Co., farm supplies.....	24.13
8937	F. & M. Spitz, clothiers.....	30.35
8938	Fred White, plumbing.....	40.70
8939	Owings Drug Co., drugs.....	3.25
8940	Hendrin Bros., shoe repairs.....	16.45
8941	Thatcher Bros., repairs.....	9.05
8942	A. H. Adler, clothing.....	18.85
8943	Armour & Co., meat, \$640.54; groceries and laundry. \$163.57	804.11
8944	Elzie Brown, barbering.....	10.30
8945	Butler Bros., house supplies.....	39.65
8946	H. T. Bloom & Co., clothing.....	12.12
8947	Churchill Drug Co., drugs.....	70.73
8948	Charleston Dairy Co., butter.....	126.63
8949	Chicago Engineers' Supply Co., supplies.....	48.98
8950	Central Illinois Pub. Service Co., lamps.....	56.00
8951	Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral J. Martin Smith....	47.50
8952	Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Fred Gunsenheiser	52.50
8953	Chicago Carbonic Gas Co., 4 drums gas.....	15.00
8954	Central Electric Co., electric supplies.....	6.38
8955	Henry DeBuhr, seeds and feed.....	15.05
8956	Forest Creamery Co., butter.....	26.88
8957	Gabbert Lumber Co., lumber and fencing.....	105.13
8958	Graham Paper Co., house supplies.....	33.08
8959	Hogendoebler & Co., house supplies.....	10.93
8960	C. W. Harris Seed House, seeds.....	18.32
8961	Hulman & Co., groceries.....	176.87
8962	Hackminster-Lind Chemical Co., disinfectant.....	6.80
8963	Jno. R. Hamilton Coal Co., coal.....	146.26
8964	J. W. Johnson, shoes.....	23.50
8965	Klohr Bros., bread.....	137.83

8966	Kroeschell Bros, Ice Mfg. Co., repairs.....	\$ 6.86
8967	Mattoon Clear Water Co., service June.....	87.48
8968	Marion Co. Coal Co., coal.....	286.12
8969	E. B. Millar & Co., coffee.....	43.77
8970	Oakford & Fahnestock, groceries.....	127.01
8971	Otis P. Quinn, barbering.....	53.60
8972	Sawin, Jones & Co., dry goods.....	4.89
8973	Standard Oil Co., oil and gasoline.....	26.54
8974	Thomas & Clarke, crackers and cakes.....	54.40
8975	Phil G. Woliung, blacksmithing.....	58.50
8976	Oakford & Fahnestock, groceries.....	88.10
8977	E. R. Saylor, contingent expense.....	204.59
8978	E. R. Saylor, pay roll.....	929.25
8979	J. W. Yantis, Secretary's salary.....	50.00
8980	Coles Co. Telephone and Telegraph Co., service, May and June	11.45
8981	H. G. Cormick, Board meeting.....	5.55
8982	C. S. Harris, Board meeting, \$13.00; investigation, \$5.38	18.38
8983	C. E. Boyer, Board meeting.....	13.58
8984	A. J. Mourer, Board meeting.....	11.00
8985	J. W. Yantis, Board meeting and investigation.....	8.90

Total.....\$4,227.30

To maintenance.....\$4,227.30

Vouchers Issued August 5, 1918.

8986	Persels' Meat Market, meats.....	\$ 290.30
8987	Earl W. Thomas, insurance.....	84.15
8988	John R. Gourley, farm repairs.....	35.90
8989	Mattoon Clear Water Co., service July.....	90.35
8990	Central Illinois Pub. Service Co., service July.....	3.90
8991	Coles Co. Telephone & Telegraph Co., service July.....	8.70
8992	Gabbert Lumber Co., lumber.....	23.78
8993	A. H. Adler, clothing.....	33.39
8994	S. G. Auer, shoes.....	2.50
8995	Armour & Co., groceries, \$28.48; meat, \$413.03.....	441.51
8996	Oce Bennett, barbering.....	22.65
8997	Butler Bros, clothing.....	18.43
8998	Hogendoebler & Co., clothing.....	13.58
8999	Chicago Carbonic Gas Co., 2 drums gas.....	10.00
9000	Churchill Drug Co., drugs.....	63.15
9001	Chicago Engineers Supply Co., supplies.....	2.96
9002	Caldwell Lawn Mower Co., repairs.....	35.51
9003	Charleston Dairy Co., butter.....	112.66
9004	Henry DeBuhr, feed and seed.....	4.40

9005	Fischer Bros., house supplies.....	\$ 74.60
9006	Goldsmith & Co., Troco and potatoes.....	79.73
9007	Hulman & Co., groceries.....	292.76
9008	Hogendoebler & Co., house supplies.....	8.75
9009	J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co., mops and brushes.....	33.20
9010	Hoosier Mfg. Co., laundry soap.....	23.75
9011	J. W. Johnson, shoes.....	25.00
9012	Klohr Bros., bread	154.56
9013	Rochelle Bros. Ice Mfg. Co., repairs and calcium.....	50.39
9014	Kelley & Son, butter.....	13.80
9015	A. L. Kirchgraber, seeds.....	11.10
9016	H. B. Mathews, repairing generator.....	14.80
9017	Model Laundry Co., soap tank.....	10.00
9018	Edgar A. Murry Co., Bug and Roach Doom.....	54.00
9019	E. B. Millar & Co., coffee.....	43.20
9020	Marion Co. Coal Co., 3 cars coal.....	320.29
9021	Owings Drug Co., drugs.....	9.40
9022	Oakford & Fahnestock, groceries. \$203.10; tobacco, \$46.08	249.18
9023	O. Quinn, barbering.....	24.00
9024	F. & M. Spitz, clothing.....	22.05
9025	Mac Sparks, house furnishings.....	67.75
9026	Standard Oil Co., oil.....	9.54
9027	Roy L. Slover, repairing steam plant.....	16.80
9028	W. W. Simpson, coal wagon.....	135.00
9029	Thomas & Clarke, crackers and cakes.....	40.29
9030	Phil G. Woliung, blacksmithing.....	22.40
9031	Fred White, plumbing.....	30.28
9032	Wadsworth-Howland Co., paint.....	63.00
9033	Zinks Product Co., soot destroyer.....	36.45
9034	E. R. Sayler, contingent.....	258.55
9035	E. R. Sayler, pay roll.....	922.65
9036	R. F. Hoover, repairing roof.....	42.35
9037	Coles Co. Telephone and Telegraph Co., service June....	7.85
9038	H. G. Cormick, Board meeting.....	5.18
9039	Chas. S. Harris, Board meeting. \$13.00; investigating, \$7.75	20.75
9040	A. J. Mourer, Board meeting.....	10.00
9041	J. W. Yantis, Board meeting.....	1.95
9042	C. E. Boyer, Board meeting.....	12.33

Total\$4,515.50

To maintenance\$4,515.50

Vouchers Issued September 2, 1918.

9043	Goldsmith Co., potatoes.....	\$ 16.17
9044	Frank and Monte Spitz, clothing.....	8.10
9045	Amer. Surety Co., tax on alcohol.....	5.00
9046	A. H. Adler, clothing.....	12.50
9047	Big Four Elevator & Mill Co., flour and meal.....	24.65
9048	Hogendoebler & Co., house supplies.....	9.43
9049	J. W. Johnson, shoes.....	4.00
9050	Klohr Bros., bread.....	162.77
9051	Armour & Co., meat, \$660.10; groceries, \$30.34; laundry, \$44.22	734.66
9052	Arthur Anderson, barbering.....	57.80
9053	Dr. T. A. Bryan, physician.....	96.00
9054	H. W. Bower, brooms.....	17.00
9055	Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Chas. A. Wyckliff..	62.50
9056	Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Mary E. Small....	28.00
9043	Central Electric Co., electric repairs.....	22.34
9058	Churchill Drug Co., drugs.....	73.90
9059	Charleston Dairy Co., butter.....	167.58
9060	Chicago Engineers' Supply Co., supplies.....	147.10
9061	Cross, Wells & Co., pillow slips.....	20.00
9062	Chicago Carbonic Gas Co., 2 drums gas.....	10.00
9063	Central Illinois Pub. Service Co., service.....	12.60
9064	Fischer Bros Co., clothing.....	49.96
9065	Graham Paper Co., 5 cases paper.....	30.00
9066	Hays Transfer & Storage Co., labor.....	3.50
9067	Hulman & Co., groceries, \$152.16; tobacco, \$31.71; paint, \$5.75	189.62
9068	Jobst Bethard Co., groceries.....	237.90
9069	H. Kohnstamm & Co., laundry supplies.....	42.14
9070	M. Larsen Mfg. Co., drinking cups.....	7.75
9071	E. B. Millar & Co., coffee.....	42.05
9072	Marion Co. Coal Co., coal.....	625.01
9073	Oakford & Fahnestock, groceries.....	95.91
9074	Pitkin Printing Co., office supplies.....	22.25
9075	Sawin, Jones & Co., dry goods.....	20.03
9076	Standard Oil Co., gasoline and oil.....	27.87
9077	Thomas & Clarke, crackers and cakes.....	51.53
9078	Mattoon Clear Water Co., service August.....	93.57
9079	Dick & Hertz, funeral Mary E. Small.....	78.00
9080	E. R. Sayler, contingent expense.....	425.66
9081	E. R. Sayler, pay roll.....	907.00
9082	H. G. Cormick, Board meeting.....	5.59
9083	C. E. Boyer, Board meeting.....	13.90

9084	A. J. Mourer, Board meeting.....	\$ 10.00
9085	J. W. Yantis, Board meeting.....	4.65
Total		\$4,675.99
Maintenance		\$4,528.89
Building		147.10
Total		\$4,675.99

Vouchers Issued October 4, 1918.

9086	Coles Co. Telephone and Telegraph Co., service.....	\$ 18.15
9087	Illinois Pub. Service Co., service September.....	57.60
9088	Mattoon Clear Water Co., service.....	91.45
9089	Hogendoebler & Co., dry goods.....	21.87
9090	Dr. C. E. Comer, dentistry.....	36.50
9091	J. D. Andrews, lumber.....	8.66
9092	Persels' Meat Market, meat.....	290.55
9093	A. H. Adler, clothing.....	33.97
9094	Armour & Co., meat, \$379.94; groceries, etc., \$88.49.....	468.43
9095	Allen Filter Service, 2 drinking fountains.....	124.81
9096	Big Four Elevator & Mill Co., feed and meal.....	10.20
9097	H. T. Bloom & Co., clothing.....	72.81
9098	Churchill Drug Co., drugs.....	133.59
9099	Dr. R. J. Coultas, optical supply.....	3.50
9100	Chicago Carbonic Gas Co., 4 drums gas.....	16.00
9101	Central Electric Co., lamps.....	1.25
9102	Chicago Engineers' Supply Co., supplies.....	17.27
9103	Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral James Hoy.....	52.50
9104	Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Sinclair W. Bryant.....	54.43
9105	Campbell Undertaking Co., funeral Frank Riden.....	47.50
9106	Charleston Dairy Co., butter.....	224.91
9107	Fischer Bros. Co., clothing.....	120.50
9108	Gabbert Lumber Co., lumber, etc.....	35.07
9109	Hogendoebler & Co., house supplies.....	17.89
9110	J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co., house supplies.....	49.80
9111	Hoosier Mfg. Co., 1 bbl. laundry soap.....	42.75
9112	J. W. Johnson, shoes.....	23.00
9113	Kroeschell Ice Mfg. Co., repairs.....	4.86
9114	E. B. Millar & Co., coffee.....	42.71
9115	Montgomery Ward & Co., dishes.....	174.20
9116	Owings Drug Co., drugs.....	10.80
9117	Frank and Monte Spitz, clothing.....	15.98
9118	Standard Oil Co., oil and gas.....	36.81
9119	Sawin, Jones & Co., dry goods.....	37.89
9120	Thomas & Clarke, crackers and cakes.....	88.50

9121	Thatcher Bros., repairs to steam plant.....	\$ 79.40
9122	Phil G. Woliung, blacksmithing.....	29.15
9123	White & Hansen, repairs on steam line.....	114.19
9124	Klohr Bros, bread.....	146.22
9125	Jobst Bethard Co., groceries.....	225.68
9126	Oakford & Fahnestock, groceries.....	494.73
9127	Hulman & Co., groceries and tobacco.....	269.73
9128	Marion Co. Coal Co., coal.....	498.41
9129	E. R. Sayler, contingent expense.....	404.15
9130	E. R. Sayler, pay roll.....	879.65
9131	J. W. Yantis, Secretary's salary.....	50.00
9132	H. G. Cormick, Board meeting.....	6.69
9133	C. E. Boyer, Board meeting.....	13.28
9134	Chas. S. Harris, Board meeting, \$13.50; postage, \$3.00..	16.50
9135	A. J. Mourer, Board meeting, \$10.20; investigation, \$1.24	11.44
9136	J. W. Yantis, Board meeting, \$2.45; investigation, \$9.00	11.45
9137	Mae Crowell, Board meeting.....	21.10
9138	Cora Neff Phillips, Board meeting.....	15.50
9139	Grace Henry, Board meeting.....	20.25
9140	Nellie L. Harris, Board meeting.....	13.00
9141	Lina Carlin, Board meeting.....	13.50

Total\$5,820.73

To maintenance.....\$5,820.73

SUMMARY OF DISBURSEMENTS BY MONTHS.

1917—

For October bills	\$1,991.88
For November bills	6,944.81
For December bills	5,158.33

1918—

For January bills	4,349.93
For February bills	5,419.42
For March bills	4,265.54
For April bills	3,836.54
For May bills	5,469.45
For June bills	4,227.30
For July bills	4,515.50
For August bills	4,675.99
For September bills	5,820.73

Total\$56,675.42

Endowment fund—

Trustees' check to Grand Secretary, credit of mem-
bers\$ 186.00

RECAPITULATION.

Receipts.

Balance as per last report.....	\$ 3,425.87
Grand Lodge appropriation.....	\$46,000.00
Interest on Endowment fund.....	2,069.80
Donations for maintenance.....	512.43
Collections	2,957.24
Farm Products sold.....	2,256.52
	53,795.99
Total receipts.....	\$57,221.86
Endowment fund—	
Trustees' check to credit of members.....	\$ 186.00

Disbursements.

For maintenance	\$56,339.31
For building	336.11
	\$56,675.42
Balance in all funds.....	\$ 546.44
The above balance covers the following—	
Chapel	\$ 25.81
Organ	846.45
Building	37.61
G. L. Trust.....	4.00
	\$ 913.87
Deficit	\$ 367.43

TRUSTEES' TRUST ACCOUNT.

Balance on hand last report.....	\$5,201.00
Received from—	
C. H. Halstead	\$ 7.00
Mrs. Trowbridge	102.00
Jno. Cronin	78.00
W. S. Tandy.....	45.00
R. B. Day.....	4.00
Wm. T. Foreman.....	78.00
Regina Schaller	25.00
C. Hauser	126.00
Fletcher Poole	2.00
O. J. Svedman.....	13.00
Louis Mueller	12.00

J. T. Warton.....	\$ 27.00	
Louise Hægele	25.00	
Sidney H. Rice.....	100.60	
Charles Spaits	1,274.49	
Anna Cruse	100.00	
Fred Saathoff	96.00	
M. S. Jordon.....	4.00	
N. P. Eckstrom.....	11.00	
James L. Dunning.....	3.00	
Rudolph Bandelow	5.00	
Garner Oliver	35.00	
Elsie A. Roan.....	22.00	
Mary A. Ferguson.....	233.20	
James Hoey	3.00	
Christian Dahl	581.40	
Wm. Lyon	8.00	
		\$3,110.69
Total		\$8,311.69

AMOUNTS DISBURSED DURING YEAR.

To Sundries:

J. T. Warton, taxes.....	\$ 22.62	
Charles Spaits	100.00	
Christopher Dahl, bequest.....	50.00	
		\$ 172.62

Allowance to members:

Regina Schaller	\$ 8.00	
Aurora Hubbard	8.00	
Sidney H. Rice.....	33.80	
Charles Spaits	10.00	
Anna Cruse	9.00	
		\$ 68.80

To Maintenance fund:

Mrs. Trowbridge	\$ 192.00	
John Cronin	78.00	
W. S. Tandy.....	30.00	
Anna Kindt	78.00	
David Hamilton	107.50	
Wm. T. Foreman.....	78.00	
John J. Boyd.....	208.00	
Regina Schaller	127.00	
Hugh B. Guston.....	78.00	
C. Hauser	126.00	

Sadie Summers	\$ 78.00
J. T. Warton.....	4.38
Aurora Hubbard	78.00
Sidney H. Rice.....	66.80
Charles Spaits	78.00
Fred Saathoff	96.00
Mary A. Ferguson.....	78.00
	\$1,581.68

To Endowment fund:

C. H. Halstead	\$ 7.00
W. S. Tandy.....	15.00
R. B. Day.....	4.00
Regina Schaller	25.00
Fletcher Poole	2.00
O. J. Svedman.....	13.00
Louis Mueller	12.00
Louis Hægele	25.00
M. S. Jordon.....	4.00
N. P. Eckstrom.....	11.00
James L. Dunning.....	3.00
Rudolph Bandelow	5.00
Garner Oliver	35.00
Elsie A. Roan.....	22.00
James Hoey	3.00
	\$ 186.00

Total disbursements during year.....\$2,009.10
 Balance on hand.....\$6,302.59
 Included in the above are the following:

Anna Kindt	\$ 87.00
Elizabeth Tuffly	85.00
Jno. J. Boyd.....	3,709.00
Hugh B. Gaston	35.00
Sadie Summers	200.50
Aurora Hubbard	314.00
Charles Spaits	1,086.49
Anna Cruse	91.00
Mary A. Ferguson.....	155.20
Christopher Dahl	531.40
Wm. Lyon	8.00
	\$6,302.59

The following is an itemized statement of the Contingent Expense Account paid each month by the Superintendent and submitted with the monthly pay rolls:

October, 1917.

Oct.	1.	John Icenagel, filling silo.....	\$ 3.50
	1.	A. D. Hart, filling silo.....	32.00
	1.	J. C. Hess, filling silo.....	2.00
	1.	Hobert Donnely, house labor.....	3.35
	3.	American Surety Co., premium on bond.....	2.50
	5.	I. C. R. R., coal, car No. 95464.....	27.77
	6.	J. L. Furrey, 18½ lbs. butter.....	7.85
	6.	J. L. Furrey, 11 doz. eggs.....	4.40
	8.	Western Union Tel. Co., August messages.....	2.02
	9.	American Express Co., freight on report.....	.26
	9.	H. Thompson, house supplies.....	.95
	10.	Postmaster, stamps	2.00
	11.	Hazel Hayes, house labor.....	4.50
	11.	C. L. Beals, 30 doz. eggs.....	12.00
	12.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	2.86
	12.	I. C. R. R., freight on drugs.....	.25
	12.	I. C. R. R., freight on engine supplies.....	.47
	12.	I. C. R. R., freight on laundry supplies.....	.49
	12.	American Express Co., freight on house supplies....	.92
	12.	American Express Co., freight on butter.....	.99
	13.	Commercial-Star, printed matter.....	4.38
	13.	J. L. Furrey, 4½ dozen eggs.....	1.80
	13.	J. L. Furrey, 17 pounds butter.....	7.48
	16.	Commercial-Star, advertising	1.02
	16.	O. B. Gobel, recording deeds.....	.50
	16.	C. I. P. S. Co., electric light.....	3.60
	19.	Truss Co., repair truss.....	1.35
	23.	Phil Cole, piano tuning.....	2.50
	24.	American Express Co., freight on butter.....	1.22
	24.	American Express Co., frt. on power plant supplies..	1.77
	24.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	1.51
	24.	E. Crites, repair locks.....	.60
	24.	American Express Co., freight on ice plant.....	1.60
	27.	Peerless Cleaning Co., cleaning curtains.....	2.50
	27.	J. L. Furrey, 30 pounds butter.....	12.90
	27.	J. L. Furrey, 5 dozen eggs.....	2.00
	28.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal.....	94.83
	28.	John Rohrer, house labor.....	3.35

\$ 255.99

November, 1917.

Nov.	1.	Ernest Martin, extra fireman.....	\$ 18.00
	1.	Chas. Miller, house labor.....	3.35
	2.	Geneva Optical Co., spectacles.....	6.06
	2.	Postmaster, stamps	3.00
	3.	American Express, freight on butter.....	.54
	3.	American Express, freight on house supplies.....	1.49
	3.	I. C. R. R., freight on engine oil.....	.48
	3.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	1.35
	3.	J. L. Furrey, 13 pounds butter.....	5.59
	6.	Western Union Tel. Co., October messages.....	5.69
	9.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal car 97433.....	28.00
	9.	C. I. P. S. Co., electric bill.....	19.80
	10.	J. W. Mason, carpenter work.....	2.40
	10.	J. L. Furrey, 13 pounds butter.....	5.46
	12.	Jobst Bethard Co., 300 bushels potatoes.....	375.00
	12.	Postmaster, stamps	3.00
	15.	G. A. Latin, work on silo.....	1.50
	16.	D. Lawrence, laundry	4.75
	16.	American Express, freight on house supplies.....	2.16
	16.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	1.26
	16.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal, car 96243.....	32.11
	16.	I. C. R. R., freight on potatoes	10.51
	17.	J. L. Furrey, 12 pounds butter.....	5.16
	19.	Jo Brooks, fireman	5.00
	19.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	2.03
	19.	American Express, freight on house supplies.....	2.09
	24.	J. L. Furrey, 17 pounds butter.....	7.31
	28.	Singer Machine Co., repairs.....	2.50
	28.	I. C. R. R., freight on cow feed.....	1.35
	28.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	.28
	28.	American Express, freight on butter.....	.47
	29.	J. S. Hayes, groceries.....	2.60
	30.	Hardware Co., hardware, house.....	2.20
			\$ 562.49

December, 1917.

Dec.	1.	J. L. Furrey, 9 pounds butter.....	\$ 3.78
	1.	J. L. Furrey, 1½ dozen eggs.....	.75
	1.	Dry Goods Co., house supplies.....	1.03
	1.	I. C. R. R., coal, car 39138.....	24.67
	1.	I. C. R. R., coal, car 89650.....	34.33
	1.	Kelly and Son, sugar.....	4.50

1.	Sparks, mattress	\$ 4.00
1.	Nichols Grocery, 25 pounds sugar.....	2.26
3.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	.33
3.	I. C. R. R., freight on machine oil.....	.63
3.	I. C. R. R., freight on gas for ice plant.....	.72
3.	American Express, freight on house goods.....	1.45
5.	Jo Hayes, 100 pounds sugar.....	9.40
6.	Bert Matthews, electric repair on house.....	3.50
7.	Geneva Optical Co., spectacles.....	.93
7.	C. I. P. S. Co., electric light.....	41.00
7.	Western Union Tel. Co., November messages.....	2.15
7.	Fisher Bros., shirts	12.00
7.	J. Brooks, barber chair.....	5.00
8.	American Express, freight on calf.....	6.03
10.	Commercial-Star, office supplies.....	6.00
11.	L. P. Patten, 40 rabbits.....	9.00
12.	Postmaster, stamps	3.00
14.	Big Four, freight on sweeping compound.....	.89
14.	I. C. R. R., freight on drugs.....	.31
14.	American Express, freight on drugs.....	1.10
14.	American Express, freight on butter.....	.67
14.	American Express, freight, report to G. M.....	.28
15.	C. A. Stewart, repair on furniture.....	53.70
15.	J. L. Furrey, 19 pounds butter.....	8.17
15.	J. L. Furrey, 4 dozen eggs.....	2.00
17.	I. C. R. R., coal, car 67499.....	42.87
18.	I. C. R. R., coal, car 761.....	39.36
18.	I. C. R. R., coal, car 96987.....	27.79
18.	Mr. Auer, overshoes.....	2.00
18.	Cox Grocery, groceries.....	1.00
19.	Postmaster, stamps	2.00
20.	Myrtle King, house help.....	3.00
21.	American Express, freight on house supplies.....	2.48
21.	I. C. R. R., freight on engine oil.....	.88
21.	Pure Food Specialty Co., 5 pounds butter.....	1.75
24.	Postmaster, stamps	1.00
24.	Phil Cole, piano tuning.....	2.50
28.	I. C. R. R., freight coal, car 94638.....	30.48
28.	I. C. R. R., freight coal, car 111422.....	39.41
28.	I. C. R. R., freight coal, car 92402.....	35.97
31.	A. M. Gibler, labor, house.....	1.00
31.	Laundry Co., supplies.....	2.25
31.	J. L. Furrey, 22 pounds butter.....	10.12

\$ 489.43

January, 1918.

Jan.	3.	I. C. R. R., freight, house supplies.....	\$ 1.93
	3.	Geneva Optical Co., spectacles.....	4.84
	3.	I. C. R. R., freight coal, car 112554.....	37.39
	4.	Postmaster, post box rent.....	1.00
	5.	J. L. Furrey, 9 pounds butter.....	4.14
	5.	Mr. Armentrout, hospital supplies.....	3.00
	8.	Western Union Tel. Co., December messages.....	3.48
	8.	Commercial-Star, office supplies.....	1.75
	9.	I. C. R. R., freight, coal, car 93077.....	30.00
	9.	Mr. Gibler, house labor.....	1.00
	11.	Pitkin Printing Co., express on printed matter.....	1.05
	15.	Big Four R. R., freight on laundry supplies.....	.54
	16.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	.65
	15.	Mr. Gunker, welding engine rod.....	1.50
	15.	I. C. R. R., freight on heating plant supplies.....	.48
	15.	American Express, freight on house supplies.....	.98
	19.	J. L. Furrey, 18 pounds butter.....	8.28
	20.	J. L. Pattin, 40 rabbits.....	10.00
	22.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal, car 7965.....	36.45
	22.	I. C. R. R., freight on drugs.....	.26
	22.	I. C. R. R., freight on dairy feed.....	2.18
	22.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	.66
	22.	American Express, freight on house supplies.....	1.08
	22.	American Express, freight on ice plant supplies.....	.72
	22.	American Express, freight on ice plant supplies.....	.72
	23.	Postmaster, postage stamps.....	3.00
	25.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal car 122760.....	70.92
	25.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal, car 91329.....	30.65
	25.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal, car 91059.....	48.20
	26.	Geo. B. Harris, 9440 lbs. coal at \$4.50.....	21.24
	26.	J. L. Furrey, 9 pounds butter.....	4.14
	29.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal, car 39423.....	30.35
	29.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal, car 91890.....	33.34
	30.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	1.03
	30.	Big Four, freight on house supplies.....	1.88
	30.	American Express, freight on steam plant supplies..	.50
	30.	American Express, freight on house supplies.....	.53
	30.	American Express, freight on butter.....	1.03
	30.	J. L. Pattin, 3 dozen eggs.....	1.80

 \$ 402.54

February, 1918.

Feb.	1.	W. J. Stucker, engineer.....	\$ 1.50
	1.	Clara Matthews, house labor.....	1.00
	2.	J. L. Furrey, 6 pounds butter.....	2.82
	4.	Treas. Jeff Co., Wash., tax on Lee property.....	1.80
	5.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal, car 94953.....	32.57
	7.	Western Union Tel. Co., January messages.....	3.19
	8.	Mattoon Welding Co., welding engine rod.....	7.00
	8.	J. W. Johnson, 1 pair shoes.....	2.25
	8.	American Surety Co., premium on bond.....	5.00
	9.	J. L. Furrey, 6 pounds butter.....	2.88
	9.	Commercial-Star, office supplies.....	3.00
	11.	Cleaning Co., house expense.....	2.00
	11.	I. C. R. R., freight on drugs.....	.35
	11.	I. C. R. R., freight on oil.....	.48
	11.	American Express Co., freight on butter.....	.57
	11.	American Express Co., freight on house supplies....	1.02
	1.	American Express Co., freight for power plant.....	.31
	11.	C. A. Stewart, repair on furniture.....	2.50
	14.	D. Lawrence, laundry expense.....	2.00
	14.	Lewis M. Marshall, 1 male hog.....	35.00
	16.	J. L. Furrey, 7 pounds butter.....	3.29
	16.	J. L. Furrey, 2 dozen eggs.....	1.00
	16.	D. C. McCoy, barber work.....	6.70
	19.	Postmaster, postage	1.00
	20.	Gus Weigel, farm labor with team.....	19.90
	21.	American Express, freight on butter.....	.59
	21.	American Express, freight on electric supplies.....	.74
	21.	American Express, freight on house supplies.....	1.21
	21.	I. C. R. R., freight on ice plant supplies.....	.72
	21.	I. C. R. R., freight on engine oil.....	.93
	21.	I. C. R. R., freight on paint.....	.27
	21.	I. C. R. R., freight on dry goods.....	.26
	21.	I. C. R. R., freight on drugs.....	.26
	23.	I. C. R. R. freight on coal, car 88431.....	29.53
	23.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal, car 43652.....	30.79
	23.	J. L. Furrey, 7 dozen eggs.....	6.46
	23.	J. L. Furrey, 6 pounds butter.....	2.82
	23.	Earl Easton, engineer.....	6.00
	23.	C. A. Long, engineer.....	4.00
	28.	Grant Kilman, fireman.....	5.00
	28.	Paul Brown, farmer.....	5.00
	28.	J. L. Furrey, 30 dozen eggs.....	9.00

28.	J. L. Furrey, 4 pounds butter.....	5	1.92
28.	Emma Stuckey, house labor.....		1.00
			\$ 245.68

March, 1918.

Mar.	5.	American Express, freight on house goods.....	\$	2.44
	5.	I. C. R. R., freight on house goods.....		1.04
	5.	Hayes Grocery, brown sugar.....		.90
	5.	Model Laundry, laundry supplies.....		1.35
	7.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal, car 115181.....		41.51
	7.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal, car 86110.....		31.72
	7.	Bert Matthews, electric work.....		7.70
	8.	W. U. Telegraph Co., February messages.....		2.53
	8.	J. L. Furrey, 36 dozen eggs.....		9.36
	8.	J. L. Furrey, 4 pounds butter.....		1.84
	13.	J. H. Hayes, groceries.....		11.96
	15.	I. C. R. R., freight coal, car 110835.....		38.85
	15.	I. C. R. R., freight coal, car 97934.....		27.74
	16.	Lyon and Healy, song books.....		.70
	16.	J. L. Furrey, 6 pounds butter.....		2.58
	16.	J. L. Furrey, 5 dozen eggs.....		1.50
	19.	Postmaster, postage stamps.....		2.00
	21.	I. C. R. R., freight house supplies.....		1.28
	21.	I. C. R. R., freight engine oil.....		.65
	21.	American Express, freight house supplies.....		.99
	21.	E. Crites, door locks.....		.40
	21.	Deibold Safe & Lock Co., repair on safe lock.....		8.34
	22.	Butler, clothing		15.00
	22.	Butler, hardware		2.50
	22.	Big Four, freight on coal.....		44.06
	22.	G. E. Furrey, tax on real property, personal.....		119.43
	23.	J. L. Furrey, 8 dozen eggs.....		2.40
	23.	J. L. Furrey, 5 pounds butter.....		2.00
	25.	Postmaster, box rent.....		1.00
	25.	McVeigh, cleaning clothes.....		1.50
	26.	American Express, freight house supplies.....		.39
	26.	I. C. R. R., freight house supplies.....		.46
	26.	Big Four R. R., freight house supplies.....		.54
	26.	Ice Co., ice.....		2.60
	26.	I. C. R. R., freight coal, car 92110.....		31.25
	26.	I. C. R. R., freight coal car 96411.....		31.89
	27.	I. C. R. R., freight on horse.....		8.67
	29.	I. C. R. R., freight house supplies.....		1.39

29.	American Express, freight house supplies.....	\$ 1.42
29.	Ice Co., ice	1.50
30.	J. L. Furrey, 10 dozen eggs.....	3.10
30.	J. L. Furrey, 10 pounds butter.....	4.00
30.	D. Lawrence, house labor.....	1.00
30.	Ruby Todd, laundry labor.....	2.00
30.	Commercial-Star, office supplies.....	3.00

\$ 478.48

April, 1918.

Apr. 2.	Postmaster, stamps	\$ 3.00
5.	Gladys McCoy, house labor.....	2.50
5.	Phil Cole, tuning piano.....	2.50
8.	I. C. R. R., house freight.....	1.07
8.	Ice Co., ice	2.25
8.	J. L. Furrey, 17 dozen eggs.....	5.27
8.	J. L. Furrey, 5 pounds butter.....	2.00
10.	Modern Hospital, subscription.....	3.00
10.	Western Union Tel. Co., March messages.....	4.54
13.	Ice Co., ice	3.05
13.	I. C. R. R., house freight.....	.86
13.	American Express, house freight.....	.64
13.	Big Four R. R., house freight.....	.58
13.	Mr. Ritter, house paint.....	2.25
13.	J. L. Furrey, 36 dozen eggs.....	10.80
13.	J. L. Furrey, 6 pounds butter.....	2.28
17.	I. C. R. R., freight coal, car 113269.....	43.68
17.	I. C. R. R., freight coal, car 117484.....	45.49
18.	Dr. Scott, dental work.....	2.00
18.	Commercial-Star, office supplies.....	1.50
18.	Becken and Co., house supplies.....	2.70
18.	Postmaster, stamps	3.00
19.	Ice Co., ice	.75
19.	Mr. Ritter, signal oil.....	.25
19.	I. C. R. R., freight engine oil.....	.96
19.	I. C. R. R., freight house supplies.....	1.26
19.	Big Four R. R., freight house supplies.....	1.07
19.	American Express Co., freight house supplies.....	.38
27.	May Webster, laundry work.....	4.65
27.	Gus Weigel, 90 bushels seed oats.....	72.00
30.	I. C. R. R., freight coal, car 89142.....	32.23
30.	I. C. R. R., freight coal, car 37929.....	33.78

\$ 292.29

May, 1918.

May 2.	Geneva Optical Co., spectacles.....	\$ 2.83
9.	American Express, freight, house supplies.....	.34
9.	I. C. R. R., freight drugs.....	.47
9.	I. C. R. R., freight on gas.....	.41
9.	I. C. R. R., freight, house supplies.....	.62
9.	I. C. R. R., freight engine oil.....	.96
9.	I. C. R. R., freight laundry supplies.....	.40
9.	Big Four R. R., freight, house supplies.....	.39
9.	A. H. Cox, groceries.....	.85
9.	Western Union Tel. Co., April messages.....	5.48
10.	Commercial-Star, office material.....	8.52
11.	I. C. R. R., freight car coal 111261.....	39.67
17.	I. C. R. R., freight groceries.....	2.92
17.	I. C. R. R., freight, house supplies.....	.84
17.	I. C. R. R., freight gas.....	.36
17.	I. C. R. R., freight, drugs.....	.26
17.	American Express, freight, house supplies.....	.44
17.	American Express, freight, power plant.....	.77
17.	American Express, freight, report to G. M.....	.30
17.	E. Crites, key to lock.....	.15
22.	Butler Bros., shoes.....	8.84
22.	Postmaster, postage	3.00
23.	I. C. R. R., freight, car coal 4035.....	32.86
23.	I. C. R. R., freight, car coal 92755.....	37.29
23.	I. C. R. R., freight, coal, car 87843.....	31.16
24.	Harry Reed, moving coal.....	24.05
25.	I. C. R. R., freight, coal, car 95037.....	33.98
25.	I. C. R. R., freight, coal, car 88131.....	31.67
25.	American Express, freight, house supplies.....	.82
25.	I. C. R. R., freight, drugs.....	.73
25.	I. C. R. R., freight, dry goods.....	.70
25.	I. C. R. R., freight, groceries.....	2.64
25.	Ice Co., 600 pounds ice.....	1.50
31.	American Express, freight, house supplies.....	.40
31.	Ice Co., 1,800 pounds ice.....	4.50
31.	I. C. R. R., freight, gas.....	.72
31.	I. C. R. R., freight, groceries.....	1.84
31.	I. C. R. R., freight, drugs.....	.40
31.	Laundry Co., supplies.....	4.50

 \$ 288.58

June, 1918.

June 7.	Opal Weaver, picking berries.....	\$ 8.61
1.	Otis Quinn, barber.....	11.10
6.	I. C. R. R., freight on mower.....	2.20
6.	Edwin Simpson, house labor.....	1.65
6.	Richard Green, farm labor.....	6.00
6.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	1.64
8.	American Express Co., freight on house supplies....	1.15
8.	Ice Co., ice.....	4.50
8.	C. I. P. S. Co., freight on butter.....	.26
11.	Western Union Co., May messages.....	1.05
12.	Commercial-Star, office supplies.....	4.50
12.	Ice Co., ice.....	4.50
14.	I. C. R. R., freight, coal, 124911.....	48.31
14.	I. C. R. R., freight, coal, 96273.....	33.69
14.	I. C. R. R., freight, coal, 88828.....	33.61
14.	Becken & Co., house goods.....	2.81
14.	Postmaster, stamps	3.00
14.	Cox & Co., groceries.....	2.00
14.	Brown & Co., paint.....	1.00
17.	Peerless Co., cleaning.....	2.75
20.	I. C. R. R., freight on furniture.....	6.12
20.	Big Four R. R., freight on house goods.....	1.36
20.	Big Four R. R., freight on laundry goods.....	.37
20.	I. C. R. R., freight on drugs.....	.28
20.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	.77
20.	I. C. R. R., freight on gas.....	.72
20.	I. C. R. R., freight on machine oil.....	.49
20.	American Express Co., freight on house supplies....	.31
21.	J. F. Malory, farm machinery.....	7.60
25.	Butler Brothers, house goods.....	1.14
25.	J. L. Pickering, license for narcotics.....	1.00
25.	Express Co., freight on house supplies.....	1.50
25.	Spitz, clothing.....	4.00
28.	Ice Co., ice.....	1.80
29.	American Express Co., freight on butter.....	.94
29.	I. C. R. R., freight on gas.....	.72
29.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	.57
29.	I. C. R. R., freight on drugs.....	.32
29.	Dairy Co., buttermilk.....	.25

\$ 204.59

July, 1918.

July	1.	I. C. R. R., coal car 95462.....	\$ 33.07
	1.	E. C. Moore, hospital labor.....	5.00
	1.	Postmaster, box rent.....	100
	1.	Postmaster, postage	3.00
	1.	S. O. Scott, spectacles.....	1.50
	8.	Geneva Optical Co., spectacles.....	2.28
	8.	A. C. Becken & Co., house supplies.....	2.82
	10.	I. C. R. R., freight, hospital	.52
	10.	I. C. R. R., freight, house supplies.....	1.75
	10.	I. C. R. R., freight, power plant.....	.61
	10.	American Express, freight, house supplies.....	.82
	10.	American Express, freight, report Grand Master....	.30
	10.	Creamery, buttermilk	.85
	11.	Western Union, June messages.....	2.90
	12.	H. Hughart, farm labor.....	3.35
	12.	John Fairer, moving coal.....	5.85
	15.	Indian Refining Co., machine oil.....	7.07
	15.	Postmaster, stamps	3.00
	18.	N. C. Brown, baling 3 3/5 tons hay.....	9.00
	18.	I. C. R. R., freight car coal 119220.....	60.20
	18.	I. C. R. R., freight, car coal 90722.....	43.02
	18.	I. C. R. R., freight, car coal 94096.....	42.39
	19.	C. I. P. S. Co., June service, electric light.....	6.30
	19.	Commercial-Star, for sale ads.....	1.70
	19.	E. Crites, repair door locks.....	3.73
	20.	I. C. R. R., freight, house supplies.....	2.85
	20.	American Express, freight, house supplies.....	.42
	20.	Traction Co., freight, butter.....	.26
	20.	Big Four R. R., freight, laundry supplies.....	.73
	20.	Ruby Todd, extra laundry work.....	2.00
	20.	May Webster, extra house labor.....	4.15
	27.	I. C. R. R., freight, groceries.....	.90
	27.	I. C. R. R., freight, drugs.....	.52
	27.	Big Four R. R., freight, house supplies.....	.52
	27.	Traction Co., freight, butter.....	.52
	27.	Ice Co., 300 pounds ice.....	.90
	27.	Milk depot, 3 gal. buttermilk.....	.75
	27.	Mr. Cox, groceries.....	2.00
			\$ 258.55

August, 1918.

Aug.	1.	Susan Storm, extra house labor.....	\$ 7.65
	2.	Montgomery Ward & Co., balance on chairs.....	2.00

2.	G. W. Storm, labor on generator.....	\$ 3.00
2.	Mrs. Ramey, laundry labor.....	2.50
3.	Postmaster, stamps	3.00
5.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	4.87
5.	I. C. R. R., freight for power plant.....	1.13
5.	I. C. R. R., freight on drugs.....	.52
5.	Milk depot, buttermilk	.25
6.	I. C. R. R., freight on chairs.....	19.69
6.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal, car 92923.....	40.30
6.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal car 95368.....	44.67
13.	Western Union, July messages.....	.65
13.	J. W. Mason, carpenter labor.....	3.50
13.	Liquid Carbonic Co., expense on ice plant.....	.90
13.	McCusker & Albert, groceries.....	2.50
14.	Mattoon Water Co., 1,800 pounds ice.....	5.40
14.	Implement Co., hardware	2.00
15.	I. C. R. R., car coal 94481.....	41.20
15.	Plen Nilms, threshing oats.....	25.02
16.	N. C. Brown, baling 8½ tons straw.....	21.25
17.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	2.93
17.	I. C. R. R., freight, steam plant.....	.58
17.	I. C. R. R., freight on drugs.....	1.04
17.	Milk depot, buttermilk	.50
19.	Big Four R. R., freight on table tops.....	27.97
19.	Postmaster, postage	3.00
19.	Big Four R. R., storage on table tops.....	.88
19.	Merchant, house goods.....	1.00
21.	I. C. R. R., coal, car 112474.....	48.56
23.	I. C. R. R., freight on organ.....	2.42
23.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	1.25
23.	I. C. R. R., freight, steam plant.....	.67
23.	I. C. R. R., freight, office supplies.....	.60
23.	Ice Co., 600 pounds ice.....	1.80
23.	Dairy Co., 2 gal. buttermilk.....	.50
26.	Ice Co., 1,800 pounds ice.....	5.40
26.	S. A. Hughart, hospital labor.....	21.00
28.	Ice Co., 600 pounds ice.....	1.80
28.	Express Co., freight on house supplies.....	.61
29.	Mr. Ritter, medicine.....	1.00
29.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal, car 41179.....	58.28
29.	I. C. R. R., freight on tables.....	4.49
29.	I. C. R. R., freight, ice machine supplies.....	1.63
30.	I. C. R. R., freight on groceries.....	5.75

\$ 425.66

September, 1918.

Sept. 1.	S. C. Scott, watch repair.....	\$ 2.50
1.	I. C. R. R., freight, laundry supplies.....	1.04
1.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	3.51
1.	Big Four R. R., freight on house supplies.....	.72
1.	C. I. P. S. Co., freight on butter.....	.52
1.	Mattoon Clear Water Co., 600 pounds ice.....	1.80
1.	Milk depot, buttermilk.....	.25
1.	Model Laundry, supplies.....	2.00
1.	Postoffice, postage.....	3.00
1.	Bessie Walls, extra house labor.....	2.00
3.	O. Bennett, balance on barber labor.....	1.40
4.	Electric Co., house supplies.....	3.58
5.	I. C. R. R., freight, coal, 111358.....	53.95
5.	I. C. R. R., freight, coal, 92684.....	43.14
7.	Mattoon Clear Water Co., 400 pounds ice.....	7.20
8.	Western Union, August messages.....	7.39
9.	Postoffice, postage.....	3.00
11.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal, 122826.....	60.95
12.	I. C. R. R., freight on groceries.....	8.44
12.	Mattoon Clear Water Co., 2,400 pounds ice.....	7.20
12.	I. C. R. R., freight on coal, 123762.....	60.20
15.	Clothing Co., coat and vest.....	5.00
16.	Montgomery Ward, hats.....	4.50
16.	Merchant, kitchen goods.....	2.00
18.	I. C. R. R., freight on house supplies.....	3.95
18.	Big Four R. R., freight on house supplies.....	1.50
18.	C. I. P. S. Co., freight on butter.....	.78
18.	Mattoon Clear Water Co., 600 pounds ice.....	1.80
18.	Mattress Co., mattress.....	7.00
18.	Spitz, clothing.....	5.00
18.	Mollie Winter, labor, hospital.....	1.80
21.	I. C. R. R., freight on groceries.....	4.89
21.	I. C. R. R., freight on drugs.....	.66
21.	I. C. R. R., freight, house supplies.....	1.13
21.	C. I. P. S. Co., freight on butter.....	.26
21.	Wadley Co., case eggs.....	13.25
23.	Commercial-Star, office supplies.....	4.00
23.	McVeigh, cleaning clothes.....	1.75
23.	Ruth Allen, labor in house.....	2.65
26.	American Surety Co., premium.....	2.50
26.	Noah Schonert, filling silo.....	2.80
27.	C. A. Layton, filling silo.....	7.50
27.	Nichols, filling silo.....	5.00

27. H. A. Schrock, electric work, hospital.....	2.40
27. Bulah Dalby, help in laundry.....	4.20
28. I. C. R. R., freight on coal.....	44.04

\$ 404.15

REPORT OF DONATIONS OF PROPERTY RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR.

October, 1917.

Purity Rebekah Lodge No. 81—One quilt, 1 pair blankets.

Pontiac Rebekah Lodge No. 4—Four sheets, 4 pillow cases, 1 dresser scarf, 1 bed spread.

Souvenir Rebekah Lodge No. 746—One spread, 3 sheets, 6 towels, 1 rubber sheet, 1 pair blankets, 8 pillow cases.

Venice Rebekah Lodge No. 570—One quilt.

Lakeside Rebekah Lodge No. 82—One quilt, 4 aprons.

Rebekah Lodges of East St. Louis—Twenty-five song books.

Avon Rebekah Lodge No. 100—One comfort, 1 quilt.

Watseka Rebekah Lodge No. 440—Eight sheets, 6 pillow cases, 1 pair curtains, 3 spreads.

Dove Rebekah Lodge No. 12—Forty-three quarts home canned fruit.

November, 1917.

Thompson Rebekah Lodge No. 690—Two pairs pillow cases, 6 sheets, 6 towels and 3 quilts.

Varnell Rebekah Lodge No. 296—Two blankets, 9 bath towels, 19 hand towels, 6 dresser scarfs, 12 napkins, 1 tablecloth, 12 pillow cases, 1 wash cloth, 3 aprons, 1 sheet, 10 handkerchiefs, 8 ladies' handkerchiefs, 8 pairs hose, 1 pair socks.

Angelica Rebekah Lodge No. 51—Thirty quarts home canned fruit.

Grove Rebekah Lodge No. 431—One quilt.

Loyal Rebekah Lodge No. 386—Forty-four men's handkerchiefs, 6 spools thread, 2 dozen crochet cotton, 9 pieces calico.

Mrs. H. W. Brockelhurst, president Home Helpers' Society—One quilt.

Social Rebekah Lodge No. 257—Two feather pillows, 2 pillow cases, 2 pillow cushions, 2 cretonne covers.

Ideal Rebekah Lodge No. 75—Forty-three quarts home canned fruit.

Plano Rebekah Lodge No. 251—One comfort.

Boulah Rebekah Lodge No. 265—Six pillow cases, 2 stand covers and 1 pillow.

Howard Rebekah Lodge No. 795—One box canned fruit.

Westfield Rebekah Lodge No. 287—One barrel canned fruit.

December, 1917.

Sewing Circle, Sinai Rebekah Lodge No. 36—Eight dozen napkins, 1 lot quilt blocks.

Jonesboro Rebekah Lodge No. 556—One comfort.

Austin Rebekah Lodge No. 182—One quilt, 2 sheets, 3 curtains.

Hume Rebekah Lodge No. 277—One pound coffee, 1 bath rug, 1 cap, 1 flannel shirt, 3 handkerchiefs, 2 aprons, 1 pair mittens, 5 pairs socks, 4 pairs stockings.

J. H. Montague Rebekah Lodge No. 202—One comfort.

Loyal Busy Bee Sewing Circle, Loyal Rebekah Lodge No. 386—Thirty-three yards percale, 6 spools thread, 20 spools crochet thread, 22 boxes handkerchiefs.

Anna Rebekah Lodge No. 262—One piece gingham, 3 pairs blankets.

Perseverance Rebekah Lodge No. 95—Seven dust caps, 1 apron, 1 towel, 2 quilts.

Prairie Rebekah Lodge No. 622—Forty-seven pairs bed socks.

Petersburg Rebekah Lodge No. 92—Fourteen handkerchiefs, 3 jabots, 1 wash cloth, 2 aprons, 1 box men's handkerchiefs, 1 tie, 1 box candy.

Young 460 Club, Blue Bell Rebekah Lodge No. 460—Two sheets, 1 dresser scarf, 1 pair pillow cases.

Minnehaha Sewing Circle, Minnehaha Rebekah Lodge No. 77—One rug, 1 quilt, 1 box candy.

Monmouth Rebekah Lodge No. 126—Two quilts, 1 cap, 4 aprons, 1 towel.

Victor Rebekah Lodge No. 385—One lot miscellaneous packages, 10 smoking tobacco.

Happy Hour Club, Prospect Rebekah Lodge No. 712—Six knitting bags.

Brookfield Rebekah Lodge No. 586—Forty-eight boxes candy.

Glasford Rebekah Lodge No. 694—Nine glasses jelly, 55 quarts home canned fruit.

Sewing Club, Advance Rebekah Lodge No. 405—One large box candy.

Abigail Rebekah Lodge No. 759—One comfort.

Lexington Rebekah Lodge No. 602—One hundred five quarts canned fruit.

Nachusa Encampment No. 115, Dixon—Two comforts.

Fairview Rebekah Lodge No. 243—Five quilts.

Goreville Lodge No. 528—One ladies' coat, 1 pair ladies' shoes, 2 shirts, 2 suits underwear.

Temple Rebekah Lodge No. 789—Twelve pairs hose, twelve pairs socks.

E. M. Lawrence, Chicago—One lot Christmas cards.

Angelica Rebekah Lodge No. 51—One box fruit.

North Star Rebekah Lodge No. 492—Eleven aprons, 1 dresser scarf.

Onward Rebekah Lodge No. 618—One dozen bath towels.

Past Noble Grands' Club, Lily Rebekah Lodge No. 89—Fifty ladies' handkerchiefs.

Past Noble Grands' Club, Good Will Rebekah Lodge No. 201—Four quilts.

Busy Bee Sewing Circle, Keystone Rebekah Lodge No. 383—Two comforts.

Delia Rebekah Lodge No. 597—One comfort.

West Moreland Rebekah Lodge No. 607—One comfort, 1 rug.

Miriam Club, Lilla Rebekah Lodge No. 63—One box chocolate cream candy.

Sewing Circle, Edwardsville Rebekah Lodge No. 309—Two dozen ladies' handkerchiefs, 1 dozen towels.

Pilgrim Rebekah Lodge No. 80—Six pairs hose, 1 pair socks, 6 handkerchiefs, 1 apron, 2½ yards gingham, 6 bath towels, 6 wash cloths.

Past Noble Grands' Club, Starlight Rebekah Lodge No. 767—One box oranges.

Humphrey Rebekah Lodge No. 136—Eleven quarts canned fruit, 1 glass jelly, ½ peck apples.

Lilla Sewing Circle, Lilla Rebekah Lodge No. 63—Two pictures, 6 packages tobacco, 1 rug, 3 towels, 2 ties, 1 dresser scarf, 2 wash cloths, 7 handkerchiefs, 7 aprons, 4 pairs socks, 1 pair hose, 1 bath towel.

Girls' Club, Maple Leaf Rebekah Lodge No. 369—Three boxes fine candy.

Sewing Circle, Triple Link Rebekah Lodge No. 577—Six dresser scarfs, 1 pair socks, 1 handkerchief.

Blue Bell Rebekah Lodge No. 460—One hundred thirty-eight men's handkerchiefs, 48 ladies' handkerchiefs.

Centralia Rebekah Lodge No. 596—One dozen dresser scarfs, 15 flannelet gowns.

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Mite Society, Anchor Rebekah Lodge No. 84—Two house dresses, 1 comfort.

Elgiva Rebekah Lodge No. 194—Four night dresses, 20 packages smoking tobacco, 10 boxes candy.

January, 1918.

Mrs. Rose M. Haney, Salem—One invalid's wheel chair.

O. Stedman, Chicago—One box cigars, 1 lot smoking tobacco.

Almeta Rebekah Lodge No. 156—Curtain goods, 12 yards sheeting, 4 yards pillow tubing.

Past Noble Grands' Club, Minnehaha Rebekah Lodge No. 77—One pair blankets.

Granite City Lodge No. 852, and Juanita Rebekah Lodge No. 477—Six sheets, 2 bed spreads, 4 pairs pillow cases, 1 pair curtains.

February, 1918.

Florence Rebekah Lodge No. 1—Four sheets, two dresser scarfs, 4 towels, 4 pillow cases, 1 pair blankets, 1 spread.

March, 1918.

North Shore Lodge No. 479—One pair curtains, 1 window shade.

Alton Rebekah Lodge No. 475—Three pairs pillow slips, 3 sheets, 1 pair curtains, 1 bed spread, 1 window shade.

Mrs. W. L. Krone, Metropolis, Ill.—One lot violet roots.

Lillian Rebekah Lodge No. 146—One pair curtains.

Newman Lodge No. 469—Curtain material for 3 windows.

Florence Rebekah Lodge No. 1—Eighty cans corn and peas.

April, 1918.

Justin Rebekah Lodge No. 784—One apron, 1 quilt, 1 set collar and cuffs, 1 pin cushion, 1 bath towel.

Chas. L. Moak, Chicago, Ill.—One lot magazines.

Victoria Rebekah Lodge No. 178—One rug, 1 bed spread, 2 dresser scarfs, 2 sheets, 1 pair curtains.

May, 1918.

Richland Lodge No. 180 and Good Will Rebekah Lodge No. 201—Linoleum for office.

Scoville Rebekah Lodge No. 293—Two dresser scarfs, 4 sheets, 4 pillow cases, 1 spread, and 1 quilt.

June, 1918.

George Stuckey of Carnation Lodge No. 933—Twelve volumes Business Administration.

Superior Rebekah Lodge No. 118—One pair curtains, 1 chair cushion.

Rock River Auxiliary, Rock River Rebekah Lodge No. 635—Twelve linen dresser scarfs, 12 cretonne table scarfs, 2 ladies' vests.

Avondale Lodge No. 871, Eagle Lodge No. 402—Six sheets, 12 pillow cases, 2 bed spreads, 6 dresser scarfs, 6 stand covers.

July, 1918.

Centralia Rebekah Lodge No. 596—Four pairs sash curtains, 1 bed spread.

Vlast Rebekah Lodge No. 165—Three sheets, 1 spread, 3 dresser scarfs, 6 towels, 3 pairs pillow cases, 1 chair cushion and cover.

Columbia Lodge No. 21, Fort Clark Lodge No. 109—One rug for hospital office.

South Side Memorial Association, Chicago—Five dozen folding chairs, 5 lawn seats.

Rebekah District Assembly No. 26—Donated \$22.27 for Victor records.

August, 1918.

Three Links Lodge No. 812—One Story & Clark organ for Chapel.

Fidelity Rebekah Lodge No. 118—One small rug.

Thusnelda Rebekah Lodge No. 43—One rug.

I Will Lodge No. 141—One pair curtains, 1 curtain rod.

Lilla Rebekah Lodge No. 63—Three curtain rods.

Rebekah State Assembly—Five pairs curtains for club room, 27 crystal top dining tables, 180 dining chairs, 1 lot silver plated ware.

September, 1918.

Mrs. J Otis Humphrey, Springfield, Ill.—Two suits clothing, 6 men's shirts.

Manufacturers' Lodge No. 485—One rug, 2 sheets, 2 pillow cases.

MEMBERSHIP.

The following is a list of the members admitted since the Home opened, April 1, 1899:

1899.

May 11, Stephen Hess, Feurbach 499, Danville.

May 16, Daniel Becker, Freeport 239, Freeport.

May 20, James E. Thompson, Olive Branch 15, Canton.

May 23, Bluett Bain, Vesta 340, Vienna.

May 23, Spencer Pickett, Excelsior 22, Chicago.

May 26, C. T. Herbert, Irving Park 190, Chicago.

May 26, Jane Herbert (wife), Irving Park, Chicago.

June 21, Julia C. Sullivan, Queen of the Lakes 212, Chicago.

June 22, Robert C. Newell, Lacon 88, Lacon.
 June 29, James W. Kinney, Ark 16, Beardstown.
 July 6, William N. Long, Taylorville 413, Taylorville.
 July 20, Catherine J. Hauptman, Orphans' Home R. 8, Lincoln.
 Aug. 1, Timothy Roberts, McLean 206, Lexington.
 Aug. 1, Sarah J. Roberts (wife), Lexington.
 Aug. 11, Daniel Michael, Oregon 94, Oregon.
 Sept. 15, P. John Ek, Kane 47, Elgin.
 Oct. 26, Joseph Pugh, Amity 132, Murphysboro.
 Oct. 30, Harriet Souders, Edith 173, Champaign.
 Nov. 20, Mrs. A. T. Gilbert, Blue Bell 460, Chicago.
 Nov. 21, R. L. Scott, Fort Clark 109, Peoria.
 Nov. 29, A. D. Gray, Clear Creek 712, Trilla.
 Dec. 12, William Halley, Cicero 217, Chicago.
 Dec. 12, Johanna Halley (wife), Chicago.

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Jan. 5, Rev. G. D. Kent, Jephtha 100, Clayton.
 Jan. 5, Carrie A. Kent (wife), Clayton.
 Jan. 15, Thomas S. James, S. Chicago 696, S. Chicago.
 Jan. 15, Mary James (wife), S. Chicago.
 Jan. 15, John Buckheit, Adams 365, Quincy.
 Jan. 27, Alexander T. Thompson, Charter Oak 258, Bunker Hill
 Mch. 20, Edward Stevens, Remembrance 77, Bloomington.
 Mch. 22, Stephen Cooper, Lynnville 356, Lynnville.
 Mch. 22, Peter Fuss, Hancock 71, Warsaw.
 Apr. 4, Joseph Saverly, Coles County 260, Mattoon.
 May 24, James D. Davidson, Union 9, Chicago.
 May 24, Amelia Davidson (wife), Chicago.
 May 25, William Hartman, Garden City 389, Chicago.
 June 1, Malinda Fuss, Angelica 51, Warsaw.
 June 1, Benjamin F. Long, Toledo 355, Toledo.
 June 1, Mary Long (wife), Toledo.
 June 21, Charles Hinze, Mozart 345, Lincoln.
 June 21, Norman N. Davis, Quincy 12, Quincy.
 Aug. 28, Eliza T. Judd, Golden Rule 27, Quincy.
 Nov. 17, Margaret Ramsey, Urbana 139, Urbana.
 Dec. 11, William H. Hodges, Danville 69, Danville.
 Dec. 11, Sarah Hodges (wife), Danville.

1901.

Mch. 30, Thomas Maneeley, Friendship 24, Rushville.
 May 29, William G. Thomas, Enterprise 369, Belleville.
 May 31, John Q. Norman, Arrow 386, Harrisburg.
 June 3, Andrew Jackson, Viola 638, Minter.
 July 1, Joseph Maffett, Kickapoo 90, Charleston.
 Aug. 1, Daniel B. Lee, Hickory Grove 230, Rochelle.

Aug. 1, John N. Gramlich, Salem 123, Petersburg.
Sept. 16, George Walsh, Golden Rule 374, East St. Louis.
Sept. 23, Thos. Sanders, Charter Oak 258, Bunker Hill.
Oct. 23, Henry Ebert, Celestial 186, Decatur.
Dec. 5, William W. Thompson, Columbia 21, Peoria.
Dec. 24, Louis A. Masker, Saxon 68, Virginia.
1902.

Feb. 5, Albert Stoll, Lily of the West 407, Chicago.
Mch. 20, Amos Kemp, Remembrance 77, Bloomington.
Mch. 22, John T. Grimm, Kankakee 386, Kankakee.
Apr. 8, J. W. Stover, Herrin 430, Herrin.
May 3, Mrs. A. F. McKean, Humboldt Park 658, Chicago.
Sept. 25, Dr. Henry Venne, Washington 665, Chicago.
Sept. 29, J. P. Crawford, Chrisman 541, Chrisman.
Oct. 6, John Craig, Carlinville 107, Carlinville.
Oct. 6, George Shafer, Bushnell 322, Bushnell.
Oct. 6, Catherine Shafer (wife), Bushnell.
Oct. 6, Jennie Crabtree (wife), Winchester.
Oct. 6, Louis Dieke, Lily of the West 407, Chicago.
Oct. 28, John Tipton, Saybrook 460, Saybrook.
Oct. 31, Geo. W. Gates, Pawnee 441, Pawnee.
Nov. 24, James Murison, Woodlawn 325, Chicago.
Dec. 16, H. F. Goodyear, Alexander 224, Cairo.
Dec. 23, Adam Koenig, Nelson 25, Troy.
Dec. 28, William Lane, Home 416, Chicago.

1903.

Jan. 26, Charles Brett, Nonpareil 331, Chicago.
Feb. 7, George F. Coates, Union 9, Chicago.
Mch. 4, Reuben Falconer, Sanhedrin 739, Collison.
Mch. 12, W. N. Roper, Amicita 83, Naples.
Mch. 22, Joseph Partington, Amity 132, Murphysboro.
Apr. 4, Sarah T. Trowbridge, Maroa 314, Maroa.
May 26, H. S. Hitchcock, Hyde Park 722, Chicago.
May 26, Mary J. Hitchcock, Elgive R. 194, Chicago.
June 4, E. H. Simmons, Bond 775, Smithboro.
July 17, A. N. Phillipson, Shelby 274, Moweaqua.
Oct. 4, M. P. Michaelson, Norden 669, Chicago.
Oct. 26, Nancy Gist, New Hope 63, Blandinsville.
Oct. 30, William Parker, Pioneer 70, Winchester.
Oct. 30, Anna Parker (wife), Winchester.
Dec. 22, E. H. Warley, Herald 777, Arrowsmith.

1904.

Jan. 5, Christian Strohm, Harmonia 221, Chicago.
Jan. 26, John C. Reed, Kane 47, Elgin.
May 2, Dorothea Marwarhe, Eureka 58, Chicago.

May 10, James Owen, Pike 73, Griggsville.
June 20, David Gray, Sumner 249, Sumner.
Oct. 28, W. H. Welch, Home 416, Chicago.
Oct. 29, Jane Vance, Edgar 91, Paris.
Dec. 20, Thomas J. Tribble, Franklin 121, Franklin.
Dec. 29, John D. Helm, Neilson 25, Troy.

1905.

Jan. 31, Marie Ledger, Thusnelda 43, Chicago.
Mch. 18, Amos J. Fulk, Decatur 65, Decatur.
Mch. 18, J. J. Lake, Kenney 557, Kenney.
Mch. 23, H. Peters, Robert Blum 58, Chicago.
May 31, Adam Pler, Western 225, Peoria.
July 13, J. S. Sanders, Oregon 94, Oregon.
Aug. 1, H. B. Webster, Arcanus 102, Elmwood.
Aug. 24, George M. Willey, Woodland Park 825, Chicago.
Aug. 24, Hattie Willey, Chicago.
Oct. 8, William Hirth, Helvetia 480, East St. Louis.
Oct. 16, David W. Hisey, Kansas 633, Kansas.
Dec. 13, Joseph P. Crawford, Chrisman 541, Chrisman.
Dec. 24, John Vaughan, Madison 43, Collinsville.

1906.

Jan. 9, Nathan E. Hefin, Milmine 276, Milmine.
Jan. 11, Christopher Gibson, Prosperity 782, Kensington
Mch. 22, Conrad Simmen, Lily of the West 407, Chicago
May 4, Fletcher T. Pool, Jackson 781, Vergennes.
May 8, Louis Mueller, Uhland 305, Bloomington.
May 11, John McMahon, Acme 707, Mt. Olive.
June 20, Joseph Smith, Coles County 160, Mattoon.
June 28, William B. Hill, Sangamon 6, Springfield.
July 7, William C. Martin, Union 9, Chicago.
July 8, John A. Cowper, Park 645, Chicago.
July 9, George L. Herrick, Dixon 39, Dixon.
July 11, John Griffith, Granite City 852, Granite City.
July 4, Adam Sans, Wildey 5, Galena.
Aug. 28, Mrs. Miriam Brockett, Columbia 21, Peoria.
Sept. 12, Lucia M. Beard, Edina 391, Danvers.
Oct. 4, Harman Bunn, Danvers 845, Danvers.
Oct. 23, Talitha C. Stratton, Eden R. 118, Windsor.
Nov. 25, Louisa W. Woodman, Bushnell 332, Bushnell.
Dec. 23, Jonas Smith, Van Buren 875, Chicago.
Dec. 24, Chas. A. Lewis, Irene 72, Versailles.

1907.

Jan. 23, Chas. S. Cross, Social 140, Rockford.
May 2, Frederick W. Jockey, Jackson 178, Vergennes.

May 2, Julia A. Jockey, Deborah R. 306, Vergennes.
May 9, Addison Pyle, St. Clair 119, Lebanon.
July 2, Alonzo P. Radley, Anchor 510, Paw Paw.
July 15, Thomas Meyer, Mokena 34, Peru.
July 18, Catharn Schafer, Victor R. 385, Bushnell.
July 18, Vitallas Smith, Bible Grove 273, Bible Grove.
July 22, Josephine A. Kellog, Excelsior 22, Chicago.
July 24, Franz Fischer, Goethe 329, Chicago.
Aug. 1, Henry Dietz, Hoffnung 353, Chicago.
Aug. 9, Bernard Schneider, Hutten 398, Chicago.
Aug. 9, Ernestine Schneider, Hutten 398, Chicago.
Aug. 13, Elizabeth Tuffley, Myrtle R. 256, Moline.
Aug. 15, Margaret Fischer, Goethe 329, Chicago.
Aug. 26, Julius Poerschman, Tranquil 193, Oquawka, Ill.
Sept. 9, William Bennie, Scott 702, Bluffs.
Oct. 11, Hugh A. Campbell, Quincy 12, Quincy.
Oct. 17, Jacob Rost, Pocahontas 117, Pocahontas.
Nov. 6, Henry Williams, Union 9, Chicago.

1908.

Jan. 15, Edward T. Smith, Duane 11, Chicago.
Jan. 21, Geo. W. Anderson, Joppa 135, Joppa.
Jan. 29, J. A. Carr, Mercer 210, Keithsburg.
Feb. 11, Benj. K. Kern, J. R. Scroggs 372, Orangeville.
Feb. 14, Irene Jones, Una R. 473, Chicago.
Mch. 12, William H. Wilson, Hutton 692, Hutton.
Apr. 20, Catherine H. Richter, Hoffnung 353, Chicago.
Apr. 22, Mary A. Benning, Cook Co. 90, Chicago.
Apr. 23, Laura A. Anderson, L. L. Morrison R. 647, Chicago.
Apr. 30, David W. Jones, Wataga 598, Wataga.
May 28, Rudolph Bandelow, Robert Blum 58, Chicago.
July 2, Lucy Campbell, Golden Rule R. 27, Quincy.
July 2, Wm. Dieter, Hebron 19, Equality.
Aug. 28, James Poling, Waubonsie 45, Aurora.
Aug. 29, Josephine A. Kellog, Excelsior 22, Chicago.

1909.

Jan. 14, Henry M. Sears, Camp Point 215, Camp Point.
Jan. 16, Mrs. Temperance Gunn, Rosedale 371, Kinmundy.
Feb. 21, Albert R. Sweet, Kane 47, Elgin.
Feb. 22, Mrs. Clara M. Clark, Elite R. 2, Chicago.
Mch. 1, Wm. M. Baldwin, Coles County 260, Mattoon.
Mch. 6, Wm. A. Boyer, Wyoming 244, Wyoming.
Mch. 13, Wm. S. Briscoe, Remembrance 77, Bloomington.
Mch. 15, John W. Brooks, Woodlawn Park 825, Chicago.
Mch. 15, Mrs. Sadie Brooks, Woodlawn Park 825, Chicago.
Mch. 18, James Hoey, Covenant 48, Pekin.

- Mch. 18, Mrs. Sarah A. Wilson, Welcome R. 28, Rock Falls
Mch. 18, Samuel A. Wilson, Advance 590, Rock Falls.
Mch. 22, Edward O. McClaren, Astoria 112, Astoria.
Mch. 22, Henry W. Franke, Kemper 596, Nameokl.
Mch. 23, John C. McAllister, Urania 243, Jacksonville.
Mch. 24, Z. T. Pemberton, Erie 38, Carlyle.
Mch. 27, Mrs. S. Eggert, Germania 45, East St. Louis.
Apr. 8, John L. Fournier, Williamsville 363, Williamsville.
Apr. 13, Henry M. Kettering, Remembrance 77, Bloomington
Apr. 14, Robert Williamson, Neilson 25, Troy.
May 22, John S. Stevenson, Welcome 770, Pleasant Plains.
June 5, Mrs. Ellen S. Smallwood, Ark 16, Beardstown.
June 21, Wm. Delsing, New Chicago 506, Chicago.
June 29, Fred Gunzenhaiser, Siloam 207, Delavan.
July 11, Paul Mangus, Guiding Star 319, Chicago.
July 11, John Thomas, Northern Light 544, Chicago.
July 26, Thaddeus S. Stone, Chosen Friends 86, Metropolis.
July 26, Martha J. Stone, Welcome R. 28, Metropolis.
Aug. 23, John Patzelt, Robert Blum 58, Chicago.
Aug. 27, Charles H. Duncan, Bushnell 322, Bushnell.
Aug. 28, John C. Rolle, Harmonia 221, Chicago.
Sept. 13, Joseph L. Roark, Coles County 260, Mattoon.
Nov. 19, Henry Stender, William Tell 219, Joliet.
Nov. 30, William Brimmer, Harmonia 221, Chicago.
Dec. 11, Joseph Maloney, Atlas 261, Chicago.
Dec. 15, Marlon Boget, Sandwich 212, Sandwich.
Dec. 16, D. S. McGurthy, Decatur 65, Decatur.
Dec. 20, William Schild, Columbia 21, Peoria.
Dec. 20, Samuel Garbet, Colchester 714, Colchester.
Dec. 21, W. F. Richards, Fithian 489, Fithian.
Dec. 31, John Latas, Monticello 847, Chicago.

1910.

- Jan. 5, Thomas Hubbard, Monmouth 577, Monmouth.
Jan. 5, W. W. Love, Catlin 538, Catlin.
Jan. 14, Oliver Butterfield, Cambridge 199, Cambridge.
Jan. 24, H. W. Franke, Kemper 596, Kemper.
Jan. 27, Mrs. E. S. Franke, Kemper 596, Kemper.
Mch. 3, George Hansen, Southwestern 484, Chicago.
Apr. 18, Morgan Hedges, Newman 469, Newman.
Apr. 18, Mrs. E. Hedges, Newman 469, Newman.
Apr. 25, Marie Rolle, Harmonia 221, Chicago.
May 9, Otto Germann, Palm 467, Chicago.
May 11, F. K. Waller, Browns 758, Browns.
May 23, C. Longstreet, Waubonsie 45, Aurora.
May 23, Mrs. I. Longstreet, Waubonsie 45, Aurora.

June 15, John F. Watson, Mt. Olive 114, Salem.
 June 16, John Kirst, Southwestern 484, Chicago.
 June 16, Mrs. A. Kirst, Southwestern 484, Chicago.
 June 23, Charles Gibke, Lily of the West 407, Chicago.
 June 24, Benjamin Rudy, Oakwood 564, Oakwood.
 June 30, John P. Foss, Chicago 55, Chicago.
 June 30, Mrs. H. L. Foss, Chicago 55, Chicago.
 July 9, James F. Allen, Quincy 12, Quincy.
 July 27, Charles Schilg, Guttenburg 380, Spring Valley.
 July 28, E. Adams, Adams 365, Quincy.
 Aug. 3, Mrs. A. Latas, Monticello 847, Chicago.
 Aug. 13, Mrs. Mary Lind, Pride of Lake City R. 495, Chicago.
 Aug. 15, Mrs. L. Haegele, Lily of the West 407, Chicago.
 Sept. 9, A. B. Ware, Okaw 117, Shelbyville.
 Sept. 17, W. H. Snider, Olive 98, Clinton.
 Sept. 19, James Warren, Kickapoo 90, Charleston.
 Nov. 17, Minta B. Huntington, Galena 346, Galena.
 Dec. 15, William Hoefer, New Chicago 506, Chicago.

1911.

Jan. 21, J. C. Mitchell, Woodlawn Park 825, Chicago.
 Feb. 11, James Hoey, Covenant 48, Pekin.
 Feb. 14, B. M. Hunsaker, Southern 241, Jonesboro.
 Feb. 16, J. P. Rasmussen, Home 416, Chicago.
 Mch. 23, W. S. Tandy, Lincoln 204, Chicago.
 Apr. 13, Frank Ryden, Atlas 261, Chicago.
 Apr. 24, S. W. Huffcut, Atlanta 116, Greenup.
 Apr. 25, D. B. Fowler, Richland 180, Olney.
 May 3, John Hanch, Praha 231, Chicago.
 May 26, J. P. Holmes, Dongola 343, Dongola.
 June 18, Geo. Coffman, Illini 4, Jacksonville.
 June 20, Carl F. Schmidt, Palm 467, Chicago.
 June 22, Jesse Gustin, Edgar 91, Paris.
 June 29, M. Ferro, Coal City 519, Coal City.
 July 14, Lillian Bostain, Mound City 322, Mound City.
 July 27, J. B. Saville, Covenant 48, Pekin.
 Aug. 16, Frank S. Cooper, Lake City 42, Chicago.
 Aug. 20, Mary E. French, Kickapoo 90, Charleston.
 Aug. 27, Jacob Austin, Home 416, Chicago.
 Sept. 16, Joseph Satorious, Adams 375, Quincy.
 Sept. 29, Margaret Hunsaker, Southern 241, Jonesboro.
 Sept. 30, Axel Anderson, Norden 699, Chicago.
 Oct. 7, Louis Hartman, Deering 717, Chicago.
 Oct. 17, James S. Topping, Fidelity 576, Windsor.
 Oct. 21, John B. Heigle, Cheltenham 113, Chicago.
 Nov. 2, John H. Deem, Geff 655, Jeffersonville.

- Dec. 5, Mathias Schaeffer, Robert Blum 58, Chicago.
Dec. 12, Joseph McCollister, LaPlace 787, LaPlace.
Dec. 18, Samuel Ney, Naperville 81, Naperville.
Dec. 28, Herman Hobben, Tazewell 144, Washington.

1912.

- Jan. 11, Jerry Singley, Green Valley 308, Green Valley.
Jan. 25, Manlius T. Johnson, Unity 310, Mt. Sterling.
Feb. 9, Mrs. Mary Ross, Charleston R. 66, Charleston.
Feb. 15, Benj. D. Fowler, Richland 180, Olney.
Mch. 1, Richard Partridge, Rose 409, Carman.
Mch. 14, James Collins, Litchfield 724, Litchfield.
Mch. 14, Joseph B. Walker, Elkhville 830, Elkhville.
Mch. 21, John Schroeder, Lily of the West 407, Chicago
Mch. 26, Sarah Griffin, Pomona 798, Pomona.
Mch. 26, Young Griffin, Pomona 798, Pomona.
May 16, Adam R. Young, Table Grove 726, Table Grove.
May 16, E. E. Potter, Litchfield 724, Litchfield.
May 16, John Marshall, Edina 391, Streator.
May 16, Mary A. Heigle, Cheltenham 113, Chicago.
May 18, Wm. Henry Hubbard, Cook Co. 240, Chicago.
May 18, Aurora Hubbard, Cook Co. 240, Chicago.
May 20, Edward H. Thompson, Fort Clark 109, Peoria.
June 13, Adam Schneider, Clark 3, Greenville.
June 18, Julius Meyers, Dixon 39, Dixon.
July 21, Sarah Ann Brown, American R. 188, Chicago.
July 26, Varnan T. Hull, Home 416, Chicago.
Aug. 14, Wiley E. Hodges, Fort Clark 109, Peoria.
Aug. 22, Peter Reitz, Harmonia 221, Chicago.
Aug. 28, George M. Wright, Castleton 553, Castleton.
Sept. 12, Gustav N. Burkhardt, Hoffnung 353, Chicago.
Sept. 30, A. W. Winberg, First Swedish 479, Chicago.
Oct. 8, John Calvin Church, Kewanee 128, Kewanee.
Oct. 18, Erick Henningsen, Wicker Park 281, Chicago.
Oct. 22, Sarah Smith, Coles County 260, Mattoon.
Nov. 13, W. C. Honeyset, Avondale 871, Chicago.
Nov. 18, Elzie Roan, Hazel Dell 285, Hazel Dell.
Dec. 17, John Thomas Roan, Hazel Dell 410, Hazel Dell.

1913.

- Jan. 3, Frank G. Owen, Aledo 236, Aledo.
Jan. 7, Morgan Baker, Union 9, Chicago.
Jan. 7, Elizabeth Baker, Union 9, Chicago.
Jan. 7, John H. Blatter, John G. Potts 561, Chicago.
Jan. 19, Hudson H. Campbell, DeKalb 155, DeKalb.
Jan. 19, Andrew J. Ricketts, Ohio 311, Ohio.

Jan. 28, John Maloney, Lincoln 204, Lincoln.
Feb. 6, Steven E. Burnes, Cambridge 199, Cambridge.
Feb. 14, Joseph B. Samples, Ava 672, Ava.
Mch. 18, Nason J. Williams, St. Clair 119, Lebanon.
Mch. 19, H. B. Thompson, Brocton 297, Brocton.
May 12, Anna Kindt, Fortschritt 271, Chicago.
May 16, Larkin Brownlee, Brocton 297, Brocton.
May 20, Jennie Bolin, Milton 277, Milton.
May 23, Commodore P. Hamilton, Claton 311, Sparland.
June 3, Josephine Hoyt, Carbondale 220, Carbondale.
June 14, David B. Walters, Maroa 314, Maroa.
July 17, William P. Pittman, Tennessee 520, Chicago.
Aug. 6, Arthur A. Scofield, Peace 428, Princeton.
Aug. 29, Regina Schaller, Humbolt 286, Mascoutah.
Sept. 20, Louis McKinnis, Decatur 65, Decatur.
Sept. 23, Herman Benzak, Prosperity 782, Chicago.
Sept. 26, Thomas A. Bottomley, Edna 391, Streator.
Sept. 26, Nile P. Ekstrom, First Scandinavian 446, Galesburg.
Sept. 26, John H. Deem, Geff 655, Jeffersonville.
Sept. 27, D. P. Whiting, Veritas 478, Galesburg.
Sept. 28, Mary L. Stark, Eldorado 308, Eldorado.
Oct. 21, Wm. Hankinson, White Heath 968, White Heath.
Oct. 22, Mary Fairbanks, Calumet 350, Blue Island.
Oct. 28, Wiley E. Hodges, Fort Clark 109, Peoria.
Nov. 11, Wm. Liddell, Carterville 703, Carterville.
Nov. 11, Walter R. Skinner, Warren 160, Monmouth.
Nov. 11, Charlotte Skinner, Warren 160, Monmouth.
Nov. 16, Emil C. Waller, Sycamore 105, Sycamore.
Nov. 16, Mary A. Waller, Sycamore 105, Sycamore.
Nov. 17, Abram L. Patterson, Lovington 593, Lovington.
Dec. 3, Laura A. Harper, Silver Link 404, Chicago.

1914.

Jan. 4, Olaf J. Svedman, Norden 699, Chicago.
Jan. 14, Oliver Butterfield, Cambridge 199, Cambridge.
Feb. 3, John W. Jarrett, Ava 672, Ava.
Feb. 7, Steven Bendixon, Home 416, Chicago.
Feb. 21, Mary E. Small, Blue Bell R. 460, Chicago.
Feb. 22, Charles Heldt, Remembrance 77, Bloomington.
Feb. 22, Albert R. Brooker, South Chicago 696, Chicago.
Feb. 28, Auroria Hubbard, Cook County 240, Chicago.
Apr. 5, John Classen, Silurian 449, Grafton.
May 21, John Thurkow, Robert Blum 58, Chicago.
May 25, Wm. H. Richter, Champaign 333, Chicago.
June 17, Sarah E. Jarrett, Ava 672, Ava.
June 30, John Lee Magill, Illini 4, Jacksonville.

June 30, Sol. Meyer, Star 75, Morris.

Aug. 24, Henrietta R. Barr, Ottawa 41, Ottawa.

Aug. 26, Silas W. Huffcut, Atlanta 116, Greenup.

Oct. 6, John Hausser, Helvetia 480, East St. Louis.

Oct. 6, Christian Hausser, Helvetia 480, East St. Louis.

Oct. 23, John Albert Jones, Bristol 653, LaHarpe.

Nov. 3, Charles Wickliff, South Chicago 696, Chicago.

Nov. 20, John Cronin, Home Lodge 416, Chicago.

1915.

Jan. 25, S. H. Houser, Lakeside 450, Chicago.

Jan. 26, Fred Saathoff, Coles County 260, Mattoon.

Feb. 1, William H. Willson, Hutton 692, Hutton.

Feb. 1, L. A. Martin, Allen 904, Bonnie.

Feb. 15, Peter Nelson, Hegewisch 766, Chicago.

Feb. 17, Charles Dugan, Maroa 314, Maroa.

Feb. 25, John Arnold, Lily of the West 407, Chicago.

Feb. 26, William W. Wells, Ottawa 41, Ottawa.

Mar. 1, Sarah E. Walker, Wenona 283, Wenona.

Mar. 1, Chas. Franklin Oliver, Hume 725, Hume.

Mar. 1, Wilhemina Oliver, Hume 725, Hume.

May 1, John J. Boyd, Kewanee 128, Kewanee.

May 2, G. L. B. Rounsville, Glen Ellyn 217, Oak Park.

July 16, W. F. Coffee, Pride of the Valley 435, E. St. Louis.

July 19, David Hamilton, Home 416, Chicago.

July 19, Thomas A. Davis, Floral 647, Athens.

July 19, James W. Hawkins, Virden 534, Virden.

July 19, Martha R. Hawkins, Virden 534, Virden.

July 20, Wm. Buchanan, Coles County 26, Mattoon.

July 21, Mary W. Snow, Cook County Reb. 90, Chicago.

July 25, Mallna Calvin, Sheldon Reb. 19, Sheldon.

July 26, Wm. E. Flory, Blue Island 327, Blue Island.

July 30, Joseph Fristoe, Irwin 344, Bement.

July 30, Sarah E. Fristoe, Irvin 344, Bement.

Sept. 15, Fritz Steihl, Arbiter 585, Nashville.

Sept. 16, J. P. Base, Praha 231, Chicago.

Sept. 21, Lucinda McKenna, Arcola 289, Arcola.

Sept. 22, Gillman L. Tullor, Colfax 198, Chicago.

Sept. 23, Augustus Fulks, Friendship 24, Rushville.

Sept. 25, John Howell, Amity 132, Murphysboro.

Sept. 29, Garner Oliver, Onarga 208, Onarga.

Sept. 30, Daniel G. Lyon, Social 140, Rockford.

Sept. 30, Helen Brush, Progressive Reb. 783, Chicago.

Oct. 15, Anna Lee, Charleston 609, Charleston.

Nov. 13, W. T. Foreman, Charleston 609, Charleston.

1916.

- Jan. 6, Geo. W. Butts, Peabody 613, Chicago.
 Jan. 6, Susan Olive Butts, Peabody 613, Chicago.
 Feb. 4, James M. Walling, Tuscola 316, Tuscola.
 Feb. 9, James Farquahar, Rose 409, Carman.
 Feb. 11, Benjamin Franklin Conrad, Sangamon 6, Springfield.
 Feb. 20, William H. Whitley, Globe 323, Mechanicsburg.
 Feb. 28, Caroline Roberson, Silurian 449, Grafton.
 Apr. 14, William E. Glasby, Amity 132, Murphysboro.
 June 14, John T. Bildson, Lakeside 450, Chicago.
 June 15, Matilda Bryant, Berry 26, Custer.
 June 15, Sinclair Bryant, Berry 26, Custer.
 June 19, J. F. N. Thompson, Olio 311, Eureka.
 June 19, John Elston, Bogota 807, Bogota.
 June 30, Albert Wyatt, Saxon 68, Virginia.
 Aug. 20, Hugh B. Gaston, Milmine 276, Milmine.
 Aug. 22, William F. Schaeffer, Helvetia 480, E. St. Louis.
 Aug. 27, Geo. W. Rogers, Dalton City 414, Dalton City.
 Sept. 6, Hiram Spaid, Port Byron 624, Port Byron.
 Sept. 6, Mary Spaid, Port Byron 624, Port Byron.
 Sept. 25, O. M. Cheney, Auburn 543, Auburn.
 Sept. 29, Robert B. Day, Olive 98, Clinton.
 Sept. 30, Frederick Sewend, Koerner 756, Chicago.
 Nov. 29, Arthur A. Scofield, Peace 428, Princeton.
 Nov. 29, Mary A. Scofield, Peace 428, Princeton.
 Dec. 2, Andrew Johnson, Norden 699, Chicago.
 Dec. 29, Emma Soules, Geneva 274, Mattoon.

1917.

- Jan. 15, John T. Warton, Goreville 528, Goreville.
 Jan. 15, Susan B. Warton, Goreville 528, Goreville.
 Jan. 20, Allen W. Ramsey, Urbana 139, Urbana.
 Jan. 20, Sadie E. Ramsey, Urbana 139, Urbana.
 Jan. 21, James L. Dunning, Greenville 3, Greenville.
 Jan. 23, John Estaque, Illini 4, Jacksonville.
 Jan. 23, Sophia Estaque, Illini 4, Jacksonville.
 Jan. 27, Daniel Sides, Danville 69, Danville.
 Jan. 30, Abram M. Etherton, Pride of the Valley 435, East St. Louis.
 Feb. 26, Morton S. Jordan, Yates City 370, Yates City.
 Feb. 28, William H. Summers, Coles County 260, Mattoon.
 Feb. 28, Sadie B. Summers, Coles County 260, Mattoon.
 Mar. 10, Emma Rogers, Dalton City 414, Dalton.
 Mar. 21, Amasa Z. Skiles, Hyperion 1006, Dalton.
 Mar. 26, Chas. Spates, Mahomet 529, Pekin.
 Mar. 28, Amos Owen Canfield, Galesburg 142, Galesburg.
 Mar. 28, Sidney H. Rice, Cook County 240, Chicago.

- Apr. 9, William H. Stewart, Home 416, Chicago.
Apr. 17, Chas. Thomas Eck, Irving Park 190, Chicago.
Apr. 21, Thomas J. Irby, Kickapoo 90, Charleston.
May 21, A. A. Weideman, Eagle 910, Equality.
June 17, Mary J. Hitchcock, Hyde Park 722, Chicago.
June 21, John Pratt, New Boston 188, New Boston.
June 22, David Crotzer, Dongola 343, Dongola.
June 30, Hiram Cole, Sidell 225, Sidell.
June 30, Emaline Cole, Sidell 225, Sidell.
July 2, Albert Amrine, Barry 336, Barry.
Aug. 27, Henry S. Palmer, Carnation 933, Chicago.
Aug. 30, Edward Waters, River Jordan 916, Chicago.
Sept. 4, Arthur E. Wonderlin, Morning Star 489, Fithian.
Sept. 4, John Gobel, Hoffnung 353, Chicago.
Sept. 4, Elizabeth Gobel, Hoffnung 353, Chicago.
Sept. 5, Carl Julius Larsen, Norden 699, Chicago.
Sept. 5, Anna M. Pohl, William Tell 219, Joliet.
Sept. 8, William Preston, Illini 4, Jacksonville.
Sept. 8, Alice Mary Preston, Illini 4, Jacksonville.
Sept. 9, Frank Cook, West Pullman 817, West Pullman.
Sept. 9, John Schlechting, Koerner 756, Chicago.
Sept. 16, Elizabeth Etherton, Pride of the Valley 435, East St. Louis.
Sept. 26, Mary E. Ferguson, Coles County 260, Mattoon.
Sept. 27, Chas. Halstead, Covenant 48, Pekin.
Sept. 28, P. Reitz, Harmonia 221, Chicago.
Oct. 6, Rufus O. Milam, Nelson 7, Allenville.
Oct. 6, Mary E. Milam, Nelson 7, Allenville.
Nov. 17, Benj. F. Miller, Coles County 260, Mattoon.
Nov. 17, Maria Miller, Coles County 260, Mattoon.
Dec. 17, James McMartin, Kane 47, Elgin.
Dec. 21, Rich. Hughes, Woodlawn Park 825, Chicago.
Dec. 28, Jas. F. Deischer, Wabash 35, Mt. Carmel.
1918.
Jan. 2, Anna Cruse, Silver Link Rebekah 404, Chicago.
Jan. 26, Elizabeth Wilson, Open Hand Rebekah 493, Spring Valley.
Feb. 4, Frank Anderson, Three Links 812, Chicago.
Feb. 26, Mike Gaberetto, Coal City 509, Coal City.
Mch. 4, William B. Fletcher, Atlas 261, Chicago.
Mch. 13, Ida F. Larsen, Norden 699, Chicago.
Apr. 26, Emma Catherine Fife, Home 416, Chicago.
Apr. 27, Wm. T. Beverly, Table Grove 126, Table Grove.
Apr. 27, Dicy Ann Beverly, Table Grove 126, Table Grove.
Apr. 29, Adelia H. Pease, Remembrance 77, Bloomington.
May 21, Edna R. Bowman, Charity Rebekah 362, Chicago.
May 24, Dietrich Gehrke, Lincoln 204, Lincoln.

May 25, Elias M. Bannon, Opal 99, Grayville.
May 27, James M. Smith, Golden Rod 59, Chicago.
June 22, Wm. G. Lyon, Winnebago 31, Rockford.
June 29, Lars Hinricksen, Milmine 276, Milmine.
June 29, Anna Hinricksen, Milmine 276, Milmine.
Aug. 19, Edw. Wilkins Huston, Tilton 131, Tilton.
Aug. 27, James C. Valentine, Okaw 117, Shelbyville.
Aug. 28, Wm. Wilson, Gays 453, Gays.
Aug. 31, Samuel Elkins, McKinley Park 319, Chicago.
Sept. 20, Jane Allen, Quincy 12, Quincy.
Sept. 24, John Hoffer, Kenney 557, Kenney.
Sept. 30, Rachel Thompson, Eleanor Rebekah 335, Peoria.

Voluntary Withdrawals.

1900.
Jan. 3, Mrs. T. A. Gilbert.
Feb. 10, Thomas James.
Feb. 10, Mary James.
June 14, Malinda Fuss.
June 25, Peter Fuss.

1901.
Feb. 18, Jane Herbert.
Aug. 25, John Q. Norman.

1903.
Jan. 14, Geo. W. Shafer.
Jan. 14, Catherine Shafer.
Mch. 17, John T. Grimm.
May 28, James Murison.

1905.
July 28, J. P. Crawford.
Sept. 12, Wm. Hartman.
Sept. 28, Hattie Willey.

1907.
Aug. 10, Fred W. Jockey.
Aug. 10, Julia A. Jockey.

1908.
Feb. 4, Catherine Shafer.
May 18, Josephine A. Kellog.

1909.
Jan. 5, W. H. Wilson.
Apr. 10, I. S. Troutman.
Nov. 2, H. W. Franke.
Nov. 2, Mrs. E. S. Smallwood.

1910.
Mch. 15, Mrs. C. M. Clark.
Apr. 21, Mrs. L. Anderson.
Aug. 2, Morgan Hedges.
Aug. 2, Mrs. E. Hedges.
Aug. 2, F. W. Jockey.
Aug. 2, Mrs. J. A. Jockey.
Sept. 10, James Hoey.
Sept. 12, Ernst Adams.
Oct. 10, Oliver Butterfield.

1911.
Jan. 21, J. C. Mitchell.
Apr. 24, S. W. Huffcut.
Apr. 25, D. B. Fowler.
June 29, M. Ferro.
Dec. 1, Anna Parker.
Dec. 11, Lucia M. Beard.

1912.
Jan. 23, J. A. Carr.
Apr. 15, Joseph Moffett.
July 9, Joseph McCollister.
Oct. 8, John Deem.
Oct. 8, Wm. Henry Hubbard.
Oct. 8, Aurora Hubbard.
Nov. 5, Wiley E. Hodges.
Dec. 8, Benjamin D. Fowler.

1913.
Mch. 7, Sarah F. Brown.
Nov. 15, Joseph L. Roark.

1914.
June 4, E. E. Potter.
July 6, Axel Anderson.
Sept. 1, Silas V. Huffcut.

1915.
Sept. 10, Wm. Coffey.

1916.
Jan. 24, Arthur A. Scofield.
Jan. 24, Mary A. Benning.
Feb. 10, Laura A. Harper
Oct. 5, Frederick Schwind.
Oct. 16, J. T. Bildsen.
Nov. 1, Joseph P. Base.

1917.
Aug. 7, John Arnold.
May 1, Mary J. Hitchcock,
May 1, Martha J. Stone.

Dec. 2, Arthur E. Wonderlin.
Dec. 5, D. A. Sides.
Nov. 11, Henry S. Palmer.

1918.
Jan. 2, Martin S. Jordan.
Jan. 15, J. W. Hawkins.
Jan. 15, Martha R. Hawkins.
Apr. 8, Susan Warton.
Apr. 12, Arthur Scofield.
Apr. 12, Augustus Fulks.
Apr. 25, Charles F. Oliver.
Apr. 25, Wilhelmina Oliver.
June 10, Elias M. Bannon.

Committed to Asylum.

1901.
Nov. 15, Spencer Pickett.

1904.
Dec. 23, James Owen.

1905.
Oct. 22, John C. Reed.
Died, Jan. 6, 1906.

1908.
June 3, John Abram Cowper

1909.
Feb. 16, Temperance Gunn.

1910.
Feb. 15, John Thomas.
Aug. 18, Mrs. M. Brockett.

1911.
Mch. 28, N. N. Davis.
Died, April 4, 1911.

1912.
Jan. 3, Wm. C. Martin.
Died, April 11, 1912.
Jan. 27, Edward T. Smith.
Died, February 20, 1912.

July 1, Bernard Schneider.
Sept. 30, Adam Pier.

1915.
Sept. 10, John Maloney.

1917.
July 10, John Pratt.
July 10, Carl F. Schmidt.
Dec. 19, Ben F. Conrad.

1918.
Apr. 18, Mary E. Small.

Discharged.

1900.
Dec. 11, Johanna Halley.

1901.
Sept. 15, Wm. Halley.

1902.
Jan. 10, Louis Dieke.

1903.
Mch. 25, Jennie Crabtree.

1907.
Feb. 28, Joseph Partington.

1916.
July 6, Geo. W. Butts.
July 6, Susan O. Butts.

1917.
Dec. 5, Nassau J. Williams.

Expelled.

1908.
Dec. 8, J. M. Gramlich.

1916.
Feb. 3, Malvina Colvin.

1910.
Aug. 15, J. W. Stover.

1918.
Apr. 8, John T. Warton.

Deaths.

Joseph Pugh.....Nov. 2, 1899
Jacob Savely.....May 29, 1900
Harriet Souders.....Aug. 17, 1900
Daniel Michael.....Nov. 25, 1900
C. T. Herbert.....Feb. 14, 1901
Margaret Ramsey.....July 22, 1901
Sarah Hodges.....Dec. 19, 1901
Richard Scott.....Dec. 30, 1901
A. D. Grav.....Mar. 26, 1902
Abigail McKean.....June 27, 1902
T. T. Roberts.....Aug. 20, 1902
John Craig.....Nov. 28, 1902
Thomas N. Sanders.....Dec. 30, 1902
Henry Ebert.....Jan. 13, 1903
George Walsh.....Feb. 10, 1903
Alexander Thompson.....Mar. 12, 1903
Stephen Cooper.....Mar. 19, 1903
Mrs. Sarah J. Roberts.....April 8, 1903
Ellza T. Judd.....July 25, 1903
William N. Long.....Sept. 20, 1903
William Roper.....Feb. 21, 1904
M. P. Michaelson.....Mar. 7, 1904
W. G. Thomas.....May 12, 1904
Dr. Henry Venne.....July 14, 1904
Amella Davidson.....Aug. 25, 1904
Rev. G. D. Kent.....Dec. 27, 1904
Dorothea Marwarhe.....Feb. 7, 1904
Robert Crabtree.....Mar. 21, 1905
R. C. Newell.....Mar. 21, 1905
Marie Ledger.....May 31, 1905
James E. Thompson.....July 28, 1905
A. J. Faulk.....July 30, 1905
J. D. Davidson.....Aug. 17, 1905
Charles Brett.....Sept. 6, 1905
G. M. Willey.....Sept. 16, 1905
Daniel B. Lee.....Feb. 2, 1906
Daniel Becker.....Feb. 10, 1906
David Gray.....Feb. 19, 1906
Christopher Gibson.....Mar. 23, 1906
Mary Long.....July 22, 1906
George L. Herrick.....Aug. 3, 1906
H. F. Goodyear.....Oct. 29, 1906
David W. Hisey.....Dec. 1, 1906
Geo. W. Gates.....Feb. 24, 1907
Louisa W. Woodman.....Mar. 12, 1907
Reuben Falconer.....April 20, 1907
E. H. Warley.....June 8, 1907
John Buckheit.....Aug. 28, 1907
W. H. Welch.....Sept. 8, 1907
Harman Bunn.....Sept. 16, 1907
Louis A. Masker.....Nov. 5, 1907
Talltha C. Stratton.....Dec. 3, 1907
William Lane.....Dec. 14, 1907
Vitalas Smith.....Feb. 2, 1908
Jones Smith.....Feb. 19, 1908
Joseph P. Crawford.....Feb. 21, 1908
Carrie A. Kent.....Mar. 19, 1908
Edward Stevens.....Mar. 29, 1908
Nancy Gish.....April 7, 1908

Nathan E. Hefflin.....May 1, 1908
Charles Hinz.....July 9, 1908
James W. Kinney.....Aug. 15, 1908
Julius Poerschman.....Aug. 3, 1908
William Bennle.....Oct. 3, 1908
John Tipton.....Dec. 5, 1908
Christian Strohm.....Dec. 26, 1908
A. R. Sweet.....Mar. 1, 1909
Z. T. Pemberton.....June 4, 1909
Thomas Maneely.....July 9, 1909
Job Tuffley.....Aug. 14, 1909
John Griffith.....Sept. 8, 1909
Julia C. Sullivan.....Nov. 28, 1909
Mrs. M. Fischer.....Dec. 4, 1909
H. M. Sears.....Dec. 23, 1909
J. S. Stevenson.....Jan. 15, 1910
Wm. Brimmer.....Feb. 1, 1910
W. S. Briscoe.....Feb. 8, 1910
R. Williamson.....Feb. 28, 1910
James Poling.....Mar. 4, 1910
A. P. Radley.....April 16, 1910
Mrs. S. A. Wilson.....April 23, 1910
S. A. Wilson.....April 30, 1910
E. H. Simmons.....May 1, 1910
J. Rost.....July 14, 1910
C. A. Lewis.....July 15, 1910
D. S. McGurthy.....Aug. 3, 1910
W. H. Snider.....Sept. 22, 1910
E. O. McLaren.....Sept. 29, 1910
Mrs. I. Longstreet.....Oct. 4, 1910
B. F. Kern.....June 17, 1911
J. P. Holmes.....July 22, 1911
H. A. Campbell.....Aug. 10, 1911
Josephine Kellog.....Aug. 14, 1911
A. Jackson.....Aug. 31, 1911
Mrs. Lucy Campbell.....Sept. 15, 1911
James S. Topping.....Oct. 21, 1911
Frank S. Cooper.....Oct. 30, 1911
James Warren.....Nov. 3, 1911
Wm. Parker.....Nov. 7, 1911
Mary E. French.....Nov. 8, 1911
Henry Williams.....Nov. 27, 1911
J. C. McAllister.....Jan. 5, 1912
W. M. Baldwin.....Jan. 21, 1912
Jas. F. Allen.....Feb. 14, 1912
Benj. Hunsaker.....Mar. 17, 1912
Mary Ross.....Mar. 21, 1912
Joseph T. Smith.....April 15, 1912
Henry Dietz.....May 24, 1912
P. John Ek.....June 16, 1912
David W. Jones.....June 20, 1912
John P. Foss.....Aug. 19, 1912
Jos. Satorious.....Sept. 6, 1912
William Hodge.....Oct. 13, 1912
A. N. Phillipson.....Oct. 23, 1912
Anna Eggert.....Nov. 7, 1912
W. W. Love.....Nov. 27, 1912
Morgan Baker.....Jan. 30, 1913
Stephen Hess.....Feb. 18, 1913

Marle Rolle.....	Feb. 27, 1913	Sadie Brooks.....	Mar. 5, 1915
Henry Peters.....	Feb. 12, 1913	John McMahon.....	Mar. 16, 1916
James Collins.....	Feb. 13, 1913	John W. Maloney.....	Mar. 7, 1916
Hannah Foss.....	Feb. 18, 1918	John Marshall.....	June 8, 1916
Herman Hobben.....	April 18, 1913	Otto German.....	June 21, 1916
Karl C. Beese.....	June 26, 1913	John S. Sanders.....	Aug. 6, 1916
Joseph B. Samples.....	July 31, 1913	Charles Heldt.....	Aug. 26, 1916
Matthias Schaefer.....	Aug. 17, 1913	Wiley E. Hodges.....	Sept. 7, 1916
Jennie Bolen.....	Sept. 14, 1913	Young Griffin.....	Sept. 28, 1916
Adam R. Young.....	Oct. 25, 1913	William Schld.....	Sept. 29, 1916
Louis Hartman.....	Oct. 30, 1913	J. Wesley Brooks.....	Oct. 22, 1916
Louis McKinnie.....	Nov. 21, 1913	Charles Gibke.....	Nov. 8, 1916
Frank B. Owen.....	Dec. 18, 1913	W. H. Willson.....	Nov. 12, 1916
A. W. Winberg.....	Dec. 20, 1913	Fritz Stehl.....	Nov. 28, 1916
H. S. Hitchcock.....	Jan. 7, 1914	Chas. S. Cross.....	Dec. 23, 1916
John C. Rolle.....	Jan. 11, 1914	Albert Stall.....	Jan. 15, 1917
Thomas Hubbard.....	Jan. 22, 1914	John Schroeder.....	Jan. 18, 1917
Geo. H. Wright.....	Feb. 20, 1914	Andrew J. Ricketts.....	Jan. 27, 1917
Charles Schlig.....	Mar. 11, 1914	Helen Brush.....	Feb. 5, 1917
W. W. Thompson.....	Mar. 25, 1914	Joseph B. Saville.....	Mar. 1, 1917
Addison Pyle.....	April 19, 1914	James L. Dunning.....	Mar. 10, 1917
Frank Fischer.....	April 24, 1914	Julius Meyer.....	Mar. 16, 1917
Varnum T. Hull.....	April 25, 1914	Geo. F. Coats.....	May 5, 1917
William H. Hirth.....	June 2, 1914	William Hoefer.....	May 18, 1917
John Calvin Church.....	June 8, 1914	O. J. Svedman.....	May 23, 1917
William H. Richter.....	June 22, 1914	Matilda Bryant.....	July 15, 1917
John B. Hiegel.....	June 30, 1914	Stephen E. Burns.....	Oct. 1, 1917
Nancy J. Vance.....	July 10, 1914	Peter Reltz.....	Oct. 1, 1917
John T. Roan.....	July 22, 1914	Chas. H. Halsted.....	Oct. 16, 1917
William H. Pittman.....	Aug. 7, 1914	Carl F. Schmidt.....	Oct. 26, 1917
Gustav H. Burkhardt.....	Aug. 14, 1914	Mary E. Millam.....	Nov. 3, 1917
D. P. Whiting.....	Aug. 18, 1914	Ellen Houser.....	Nov. 5, 1917
Harman Benzak.....	Sept. 4, 1914	Fletcher T. Pool.....	Dec. 2, 1917
William M. Dieter.....	Oct. 1, 1914	Commodore Perry Hamilton.....	Dec. 6, 1917
Steve Bendixon.....	Nov. 23, 1914	Ben F. Conrad.....	Dec. 19, 1917
Oliver Butterfield.....	Dec. 12, 1914	J. P. Rasmussen.....	Dec. 22, 1917
John Latas.....	Dec. 12, 1914	Lewis Mueller.....	Dec. 28, 1917
Minta B. Huntington.....	Jan. 17, 1915	Martin Jordan.....	Jan. 2, 1918
John J. Lake.....	Feb. 5, 1915	Robert B. Day.....	Jan. 10, 1918
Joseph B. Walker.....	Feb. 6, 1915	Walter Scott Tandy.....	Jan. 15, 1918
Mary Helgel.....	Feb. 8, 1915	Garner Oliver.....	Jan. 17, 1918
Lillian Bostian.....	Feb. 15, 1915	William Delsing.....	Jan. 24, 1918
John Watson.....	Mar. 8, 1915	Louisa Haegle.....	Feb. 10, 1918
Samuel Ney.....	April 13, 1915	John Cronin.....	Feb. 23, 1918
John Kerts.....	April 24, 1915	Nels P. Ekstrom.....	Mar. 20, 1918
Bluett Bain.....	May 1, 1915	Regina Schaller.....	April 5, 1918
T. S. Stone.....	May 6, 1915	Chas. T. Eck.....	April 15, 1918
George Coffman.....	May 16, 1915	William Liddell.....	Mar. 24, 1918
Benj. Long.....	June 13, 1915	Rudolph Bandelow.....	April 29, 1918
Adam Schnelder.....	June 17, 1915	Elsie A. Roan.....	May 20, 1918
Jesse Gustin.....	June 29, 1915	James M. Smlth.....	June 3, 1918
Lucinda McKenna.....	Oct. 6, 1915	Fred Gunzenbelsner.....	June 12, 1918
Fay K. Waller.....	Nov. 24, 1915	Mary Elizabeth Small.....	Aug. 13, 1918
Wm. Hankinson.....	Nov. 23, 1915	Chas. A. Wickliffe.....	Aug. 16, 1918
Benjamin Rudy.....	Dec. 14, 1915	Frank Ryden.....	Aug. 29, 1918
John D. Helm.....	Jan. 6, 1916	James Hoey.....	Sept. 13, 1918
Adam Koenig.....	Feb. 2, 1916	Sinclair W. Bryant.....	Sept. 14, 1918
Henrietta R. Barr.....	Feb. 6, 1916		

PRESENT MEMBERSHIP OF THE HOME.

Name.	Lodge.	No.	Location.	Age.
Amrine, Albert	Barry	336	Barry	72
Anderson, Geo. W.	Joppa	135	Joppa	83
Austin, Jacob	Home	416	Chicago	69
Anderson, Frank	Three Links	812	Chicago	57
Allen, Jane	Quincy	12	Quincy	75
Baker, Elizabeth	Union	9	Chicago	82
Blatter, John H.	John G. Potts	561	Chicago	79
Boyd, John J.	Kewanee	128	Kewanee	92
Boyer, W. A.	Wyoming	244	Wyoming	84
Boget, Marion	Sandwich	212	Sandwich	67
Bottomley, Thomas A.	Edina	391	Streator	62
Brooker, Albert R.	South Chicago	696	Chicago	59
Brownley, Larkin	Brocton	297	Brocton	65
Buchanan, William	Coles County	260	Mattoon	60
Beverly, Wm. T.	Table Grove	126	Table Grove	67
Beverly, Dicy	Table Grove	126	Table Grove	67
Bowman, Edna	Charity Rebekah	362	Chicago	62
Campbell, Hudson H.	DeKalb	155	DeKalb	61
Canfield, Amos O.	Galesburg	142	Galesburg	65
Classen, John	Silurian	499	Grafton	78
Cheeny, Orrin W.	Auburn	543	Auburn	81
Cole, Hiram	Sidell	225	Sidell	61
Cole, Emaline	Sidell	225	Sidell	60
Cook, Frank	West Pullman	817	West Pullman	63
Crotzer, David	Dongola	343	Dongola	80
Cruse, Anna	Silver Link Rebekah	404	Chicago	67
Davis, Thomas A.	Floral	647	Athens	73
Deem, John H.	Jeff	655	Jeffersonville	76
Duggan, Charles	Maroa	314	Maroa	80
Duncan, Chas. H.	Bushnell	323	Bushnell	69
Deischer, James	Wabash	35	Mt. Carmel	52
Elston, John	Bogota	807	Bogota	68
Estaque, John	Illini	4	Jacksonville	64
Estaque, Sophia	Illini	4	Jacksonville	65
Etherton, Abram M.	Pride of the Valley	435	East St. Louis	59
Etherton, Elizabeth	Pride of the Valley	435	East St. Louis	51
Elkins, Samuel	McKinley Park	319	Chicago	72
Fairbanks, Mary	Calumet	350	Blue Island	75
Farquaher, James	Rose	409	Carman	60
Flory, Wm. E.	Blue Island	327	Blue Island	59
Ferguson, Mary E.	Coles County	260	Mattoon	76
Fink, Hans	Rock Island	18	Rock Island	82
Foreman, W. T.	Charleston	609	Charleston	75
Fournier, L. J.	Williamsville	372	Williamsville	72
Franke, N. W.	Kemper	596	Kemper	57
Franke, Ellen	Kemper	596	Kemper	57
Fristoe, Joseph	Irwin	314	Bement	81
Fristoe, Sarah E.	Irwin	344	Bement	80
Fletcher, Wm. B.	Atlas	261	Chicago	60
Fyfe, Emma	Home	416	Chicago	71
Gaston, Hugh B.	Milmine	276	Milmine	49
Glasby, Wm. E.	Amity	132	Murphysboro	73
Goebel, John	Hoffnung	353	Chicago	67
Goebel, Elizabeth	Hoffnung	353	Chicago	65
Griffin, Sarah	Pomona	708	Pomona	71
Gehrke, Dietrich	Lincoln	294	Lincoln	67
Gaberetto, Mike	Coal City	509	Coal City	56
Haldeman, Ben	Althea	619	Elgin	81
Hamilton, David	Home	416	Chicago	69
Hanch, John	Praha	231	Chicago	62
Hansen, George	Southwestern	484	Chicago	76
Hauptman, Catherine	Orphans' Home	8	Lincoln	85
Hill, Wm. B.	Sangamon	6	Springfield	65
Hitchcock, Mary J.	Elgiva	194	Chicago	79
Howell, John	Amity	132	Murphysboro	74
Hoyt, Josephine	Carbondale	220	Carbondale	67
Hubbard, Aurora	Cook County	90	Chicago	71

Name.	Lodge.	No.	Location.	Age.
Hunsaker, Margaret	Southern	241	Jonesboro	72
Honeysett, W. C.	Avondale	871	Chicago	69
Houser, Sam H.	Lakeside	450	Chicago	56
Houser, Christian	Helvetia	480	East St. Louis	76
Henningson, Eric	Wicker Park	281	Chicago	79
Hughes, Richard	Woodlawn Park	825	Chicago	84
Hinricksen, Lars	Milmine	276	Milmine	59
Hinricksen, Anna	Milmine	276	Milmine	57
Huston, E. W.	Tilton	131	Tilton	67
Hoffer, John	Kenney	557	Kenney	76
Irby, Thomas J.	Kickapoo	90	Charleston	64
Jarrett, John M.	Ava	672	Ava	72
Jarrett, Sarah E.	Ava	672	Ava	72
Johnson, Manlius	Unity	310	Mt. Sterling	75
Johnson, Andrew	Norden	699	Chicago	61
Jones, John Albert	Bristol	653	Lafayette	59
Jones, Irene	Una	473	Chicago	81
Kittering, H. M.	Remembrance	77	Bloomington	63
Klindt, Anna	Fortschritt	847	Chicago	83
Kirst, Augusta	Southwestern	484	Chicago	71
Larsen, Carl Julius	Norden	699	Chicago	65
Lattas, Augusta	Monticello	847	Chicago	62
Longstreet, Christopher	Waubesaie	45	Aurora	74
Lyon, Daniel	Social	110	Rockford	68
Lee, Anna	Charleston	609	Charleston	58
Lyon, W. G.	Winnebago	31	Rockford	70
Larsen, Ida	Norden	699	Chicago	63
Magill, John L.	Illini	4	Jacksonville	81
Magnus, Paul	Guiding Star	319	Chicago	68
Maloney, Joseph	Atlas	261	Chicago	69
Martin, L. A.	Allen	904	Bonnie	66
Meyer, Thomas	Mokena	34	Peru	73
Meyer, Sol	Star	75	Morris	71
Millam, Rufus	Nelson	7	Allensville	67
Miller, Benj. F.	Coles County	260	Mattoon	65
Miller, Maria	Coles County	260	Mattoon	64
McMartin, James	Kane	47	Elgin	58
Nelson, Peter	Hegewisch	766	Chicago	78
Norman, John Q.	Arrow	368	Harrisburg	86
Partridge, Richard	Rose	409	Carman	73
Patterson, Abram	Lovington	503	Lovington	69
Patzelt, John	Robert Blum	58	Chicago	83
Pratt, John	New Boston	188	New Boston	80
Preston, William	Illini	4	Jacksonville	70
Preston, Alice Mary	Illini	4	Jacksonville	66
Pohl, Anna M.	William Tell	219	Joliet	87
Pease, Adelaide	Remembrance	77	Bloomington	81
Ramsey, Albert W.	Urbana	139	Urbana	58
Ramsey, Sadie E.	Urbana	139	Urbana	56
Richards, W. F.	Elthian	489	Fifthian	58
Richter, Catherine	Hoffnung	353	Chicago	73
Rice, Sidney H.	Cook County	240	Chicago	73
Robinson, Caroline	Silurian	449	Grafton	79
Rodgers, George	Dalton City	414	Dalton City	67
Rodgers, Emma	Dalton City	414	Dalton City	50
Rounseville, G. L. B.	Cleero	217	Oak Park	73
Randolph, Margaret	Logan	276	Atlanta	77
Sans, Adam	Wilday	5	Galena	97
Saathoff, Fred	Coles County	260	Mattoon	71
Schaefer, Wm. F.	Helvetia	480	East St. Louis	74
Schneider, Ernestine	Hutten	398	Chicago	73
Schneider, Bernhard	Hutten	398	Chicago	74
Schlechting, John	Koerner	756	Chicago	61
Seefeld, Mary A.	Peace	428	Princeton	75
Skiles, Amasa Z.	Hyperion	1000	Taylorville	62
Skinner, Walter R.	Warren	160	Monmouth	69
Skinner, Charlotte	Warren	160	Monmouth	75
Simmons, Conrad	Lily of the West	407	Chicago	72
Snow, Mary W.	Coles County	90	Chicago	76

Tuesday,
Nov. 19, 1913.

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Name.	Lodge.	No.	Location.	Age.
Spates, Chas.	Mahomet	529	Mahomet	59
Spaid, Hiram	Port Byron	624	Port Byron	69
Spaid, Mary	Port Byron	624	Port Byron	69
Smith, Sarah	Coles County	260	Mattoon	81
Stark, Mary	Eldorado	308	Eldorado	68
Stewart, William H.	Home	416	Chicago	67
Stender, Henry	William Tell	219	Joliet	82
Soules, Emma	Geneva	274	Mattoon	58
Summers, William H.	Coles	260	Mattoon	55
Summers, Sadie B.	Coles	260	Mattoon	56
Singley, Jerry	Green Valley	308	Green Valley	66
Thompson, Edward H.	Fort Clark	109	Peoria	69
Thompson, Narrel	Olio	311	Eureka	69
Thompson, H. B.	Brocton	297	Brocton	68
Thurkow, John	Robert Blum	58	Chicago	80
Tribble, Thomas J.	Franklin	121	Franklin	81
Trowbridge, Sarah	Maroa	314	Maroa	89
Tuffley, Elizabeth	Myrtle	256	Moline	81
Tullar, Gilman L.	Colfax	198	Chicago	75
Vaughn, John	Madison	43	Collinsville	76
Ware, Abram	Okaw	117	Shelbyville	70
Walters, David B.	Maroa	314	Maroa	90
Waller, Emil C.	Sycamore	105	Sycamore	82
Waller, Mary A.	Sycamore	106	Sycamore	75
Walling, J. M.	Tuscola	316	Tuscola	61
Walker, Sarah E.	Wenona	283	Wenona	77
Waters, Edward	River Jordan	916	Chicago	61
Wells, Wilbur W.	Ottawa	41	Ottawa	69
Whitley, Wm. H.	Globe	323	Mechanicsburg	80
Webster, H. B.	Arcanus	102	Elmwood	86
Weideman, A. A.	Eagle Creek	910	Eagle	65
Wyatt, Albert	Saxon	68	Virginia	73
Wilson, Wilbur W.	Hutton	692	Hutton	78
Thompson, Rachel	Eleanor Rebekah	335	Peoria	88
Valentine, James C.	Okaw	117	Shelbyville	74
Wilson, Elizabeth	Open Hand Rebekah	493	Spring Valley	83
Wilson, Wm.	Gays	453	Gays	81

MEMBERSHIP OCTOBER 1, 1918.

Brothers	138	
Sisters	48	
		186
Admitted during year:		
Brothers	20	
Sisters	12	
		32
Total		218
Died:		
Brothers	25	
Sister	6	
Withdrawn:		
Brothers	9	
Sisters	3	

Discharged:

Brothers	1	
Sisters	1	
		45
Total membership, 122 Brothers, 51 Sisters.....		173

We herewith give a list of all Lodges that have furnished rooms at I. O. O. F. Old Folks' Home and hospital.

Lodge No. and Location.	Room No.
Good Will Rebekah Lodge, 201, Olney.....	Office
Richland Lodge, 180, Olney.....	Office
Maple Leaf Rebekah Lodge, 369, Chicago.....	3
Newman Lodge, 469, Newman.....	4
Deering Lodge, 717, Chicago.....	5
Three Links Lodge, 812, Chicago.....	7
Three Links Rebekah Lodge, 434, Chicago.....	7
Winona Lodge, 438, Newton.....	8
American Rebekah Lodge, 188, Chicago.....	9
Avondale Lodge, 71, Chicago.....	20
White City Lodge, 878, Chicago.....	20
Eagle Lodge, 402, Chicago.....	20
Thusnelda Rebekah Lodge, 43, Chicago.....	21
Forest Lodge, 255, Wapella.....	22
A. O. T. Club of Mercy R. Lodge, 72, Danville.....	23
Alton Rebekah Lodge, 475, Alton.....	24
Chicago Rebekah Association, Chicago.....	26
Almetta Rebekah Lodge, 156, Litchfield.....	27
Blue Island Lodges, Blue Island.....	28
Bethlehem Rebekah Lodge, 32, Bloomington.....	33
Superior Rebekah Lodge, 18, Chicago.....	34
Irving Park Lodge, 190, Chicago.....	35
Rockford Lodges, Rockford.....	36
South Park Lodge, 488, Chicago.....	37
Irma Lodge, 208, Quincy.....	38
Watseka Lodges, Watseka.....	39
Bethel Rebekah Lodge, 253, Monticello.....	
Selah Lodge, 403, Monticello.....	40
Charleston Rebekah Lodge, 66, Charleston.....	41
Vienna Rebekah Lodge, 187, Vienna.....	42
Mrs. Irena Reve, Decatur.....	43
Vernon Lodge, 324, Vernon.....	44
Eden Rebekah Lodge, 118, Windsor.....	45
Beulah Rebekah Lodge, 265, Morris.....	46

Lodge No. and Location.	Room No.
West Pullman Coterie, 401, West Pullman.....	47
I Will Lodge, 141, Chicago.....	52
Henry Broumelier of Harmony Lodge, 221, Chicago.....	54
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Lilla Rebekah Lodge Sewing Circle, 63, Springfield.....	56
Chester Lodge, 57, Chester.....	57
Pride of Egypt Rebekah Lodge, 509, Chester.....	57
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Vlast Rebekah Lodge, 163, Chicago.....	59
German Rebekah Old Folks' Home Society.....	60
Peoria Rebekah Lodge, 113, Peoria.....	61
Sinai Rebekah Lodge, 36, Paris.....	62
Celestine Lodge, 186, Decatur.....	63
Adam Peer, of Columbia Lodge, 21, Peoria.....	64
Thusnelda Rebekah Lodge, 43, Chicago.....	65
Mystic Star Rebekah Lodge, 291, Chicago.....	66
Canton Queen City, 58, Canton.....	67
Canton Troy, 68, Canton.....	67
Third Battalion 4th Reg. P. M.....	67
Three Links Lodge, 812, Chicago.....	68
Lillian Rebekah Lodge, 146, Gibson.....	69
Purity Rebekah Lodge, 81, Pana.....	70
Chicago Lodge, 55, Chicago.....	71
Praha Lodge, 231, Chicago.....	75
Norden Lodge, 699, Chicago.....	76
Gresham Rebekah Lodge, 464, Chicago.....	77
Social Rebekah Lodge, 257, Taylorville.....	79
Pontiac Lodge, 262, Pontiac.....	101
Pontiac Rebekah Lodge, 4, Pontiac.....	101
Chicago Encampment, 10, Chicago.....	102
Loyal Lodge, 601, Chicago.....	103
Joseph and Mary Weigselbaum, Chicago.....	104
Dixon Lodge, 39, Dixon.....	105
Nachusa Encampment, 115, Dixon.....	105
Minnie Bell Rebekah Lodge, 423, Dixon.....	105
Grove City Lodge, 275, Grove City.....	106
Grove Rebekah Lodge, 431, Grove City.....	106
Kenwood Lodge, 288, Chicago.....	108
Golden Rule Rebekah Lodge, 27, Quincy.....	108
Waubonsie Lodge, 45, Aurora.....	109
Ben Hur Lodge, 670, Aurora.....	109
Concordia Lodge, 303, Aurora.....	109
Aurora Encampment, 22, Aurora.....	109
Minnehaha Rebekah Lodge, 77, Aurora.....	109

Lodge No. and Location.	Room No.
Tirza Rebekah Lodge, 488, Aurora.....	109
Swedish Olive Rebekah Lodge, 543, Moline.....	109
Swedish Olive Sewing Society, Moline.....	109
Pride of Aaron Rebekah Lodge, 234, Harrisburg.....	110
Colfax Lodge, 198, Chicago.....	111
Onarga Rebekah Lodge, 437, Onarga.....	112
Olive Branch Lodge, 15, Canton.....	113
Star Encampment, 17, Canton.....	113
Mount Olive Lodge, 114, Salem.....	114
Olive Branch Encampment, 159, Salem.....	114
Salem Rebekah Lodge, 107, Salem.....	114
Robert Blum Lodge, 58, Chicago.....	116
Granite City Lodge, 852, Granite City.....	117
Juanita Rebekah Lodge, 117, Granite City.....	117
Kansas Lodge, 633, Kansas.....	118
Occidental Encampment, 133, Kansas.....	118
Clifton Rebekah Lodge, 479, Kansas.....	118
Nora E. Vance, Lincoln.....	119
Toulon Rebekah Lodge, 117, Toulon.....	120
J. R. Scrogg's Lodge, 372, Orangeville.....	121
Hoffnung Lodge, 353, Chicago.....	122
Martinsville Lodge, 134, Martinsville.....	123
Clark Encampment, 118, Martinsville.....	123
Victoria Rebekah Lodge, 178, Martinsville.....	123
Drexel Rebekah Lodge, 246, Chicago.....	124
Sterling Lodge, 174, Sterling.....	125
Kewanee Lodge, 128, Kewanee.....	126
Kewanee Encampment, 105, Kewanee.....	126
Kewanee Canton, 54, Kewanee.....	126
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Zelma Rebekah Lodge, 103, Tuscola.....	128
Shelby Lodge, 274, Moweaqua.....	129
Excelsior Lodge, 22, Chicago.....	130
First Swedish Lodge, 479, Chicago.....	131
Dwight Lodge, 513, Dwight.....	133
Pacific Encampment, 126, Dwight.....	133
Prairie Queen Rebekah Lodge, 370, Dwight.....	133
Kane Lodge, 47, Elgin.....	134
Althea Lodge, 619, Elgin.....	134
Elgin Encampment, 112, Elgin.....	134
Samaritan Rebekah Lodge, 120, Elgin.....	134
Kenney Lodge, 557, Kenney.....	135
Palacky Lodge, 630, Chicago.....	136
Harriet Scoville Rebekah Lodge, 293, Kankakee.....	137

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Good Samaritan Lodge, 540, Chicago.....	138
Beaucoup Lodge, 159, Pinckneyville.....	139
Memento Rebekah Lodge, 125, Vandalia.....	140
Bethany Lodge, 749, Bethany.....	141
Crystal Rebekah Lodge, 275, Bethany.....	141
Degree Staff Manufacturers Lodge, 485, Moline.....	142
Sidell Lodge, 225, Sidell.....	143
Sidell Encampment, 58, Sidell.....	143
Mae Rebekah Lodge, 275, Sidell.....	143
Sherrard Lodge, 532, Sherrard.....	144

Trustees' Apartments.

Union Lodge, 9, Chicago.....	A
Queen City Lodge, 179, Centralia.....	B
Pike Lodge, 73, Griggsville.....	C
Sheridan Lodge, 663, Highwood.....	D

The following Lodges contributed in furnishing Trustees' office:

Juanita Lodge, 201.....	Marseilles
Sumner Lodge, 848.....	Sumner
Warlock Lodge, 848.....	Viola
Floral Lodge, 847.....	Athens
Laurel Grove Rebekah Lodge, 414.....	Table Grove
Bethel Rebekah Lodge, 253.....	Monticello
Berry Lodge, 26.....	Custer
Crab Orchard Lodge, 475.....	Crab Orchard
Annapolis Lodge, 955.....	Annapolis
Eagle Creek Lodge, 910.....	Eagle
Aetna Rebekah Lodge, 432.....	Brocton
Pocahontas Rebekah Lodge, 49.....	Joliet
Cook County Rebekah Lodge, 90.....	Chicago
Evelyn Colfax Rebekah Lodge, 168.....	Belvidere
Loyal Rebekah Lodge, 386.....	Galesburg
Hegewisch Star Rebekah Lodge, 444.....	Hegewisch
Wahneetah Rebekah Lodge, 185.....	Halden
River Jordan Rebekah Lodge, 638.....	Chicago
Welcome Lodge, 770.....	Pleasant Plain~
Hermon Lodge, 585.....	Hermon
White City Rebekah Lodge, 587.....	Chicago
Plymouth Rebekah Lodge, 549.....	Plymouth
Tina Rebekah Lodge, 515.....	Marietta
Sunbeam Rebekah Lodge, 389.....	Eberle
Sunnyside Rebekah Lodge, 238.....	Colona
Naomi Rebekah Lodge, 5.....	Camp Point

Lodge No. and Location:	Room No.
Lodges furnishing rooms in hospital:	
Sangamon Lodge, 6, Springfield.....	1
Queen City Lodge, 179, Centralia.....	2
Centralia Rebekah Lodge, 596, Centralia.....	3
Queen City Rebekah Lodge, 363, Shelbyville.....	4
Elva Rebekah Lodge, 658, Chicago.....	6
John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary, Springfield.....	7
Lakeside Lodge, 450, Chicago.....	8
Victor Rebekah Lodge, 358, Bushnell.....	9
Kewanee Lodge, 128, Kewanee.....	10
Sophia Rebekah Lodge, 96, Chicago.....	11
Southwestern Lodge, 484, Chicago.....	12
Austin Rebekah Lodge, 182, Chicago.....	13
Hope Rebekah Lodge, 15, DuQuoin.....	14
Souvenir Rebekah Lodge, 746, Chicago.....	15
Rebekah District Assembly, 1, Chicago.....	16
Woodstock Rebekah Lodge, 205, Woodstock.....	17
Veritas Lodge, 478, Galesburg.....	18
The 460 Club of Blue Bell Rebekah Lodge, 460, Chicago.....	22
Southside Memorial Ass'n, Chicago.....	23
Cook County Rebekah Lodge, 90, Chicago.....	24
Fort Clark Lodge, 109, Peoria.....	30
Columbia Lodge, 21, Peoria.....	30
Cook County Odd Fellows' Picnic and Anniversary Organization Chicago	Dining Room
Louis D. Hirschheimer, Pittsfield.....	Sun Parlor
Catherine Hoefer, Chicago.....	Electric cooking stove
L. M. Kagy, Salem.....	Large hall clock—hall

All of which is fraternally submitted in F., L. and T.

H. G. CORMICK,
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FIRST REPORT OF THE ENDOWMENT TRUSTEES.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Trustees of the Endowment Funds of the Orphans' Home and of the Old Folks' Home beg to report as follows:

Contributions to the Endowment Fund from the time it was established to November 1, 1918.

Total amount contributed by individuals and organizations
in amounts less than \$100.00.....\$38,797.14

Detailed report of contributions by organizations, lodges and
individuals in amounts of \$100.00 or more:

Cook County Picnic and Anniversary Organization.....	6,450.00
Wm. Richter	2,234.04
J. L. Plain (Bequest of 1909).....	951.40
Ben Hur Lodge, No. 870.....	1,146.83
German Association of Chicago.....	850.00
German Lodges of Cook County.....	650.00
E. S. Conway, P.G.S.....	907.00
Louis Masker (Bequest)	600.00
Mt. Pulaski Lodge, No. 454.....	647.45
Cook County Lodge, No. 240.....	606.11
Three Link Lodge, No. 812.....	680.00
Kewanee Lodge, No. 128.....	675.00
Capitol Lodge, No. 166.....	545.74
Woodlawn Park Lodge, No. 825.....	509.11
John Ericsson Lodge, No. 361.....	767.28
Lincoln Lodge, No. 204.....	515.00
Jas. Collins, Old Folks' Home.....	429.70
Harvey Lodge, No. 80; Blue Island, No. 327; Walhalla, No. 574; Orient, No. 626 (Picnic).....	435.28
Swedish Olive Lodge, No. 583.....	520.00
Lily of the West Lodge, No. 407.....	485.00
Powhan Lodge, No. 29.....	576.87
Mokena Lodge, No. 34.....	512.58
Grove Rebekah Lodge, No. 431.....	525.70
Hyde Park Lodge, No. 722.....	387.50
Manufacturers' Lodge, No. 485.....	451.00
Cook County Deputies' Association.....	351.32
Allemania Lodge, No. 411.....	437.50
Alta Rebekah Lodge, No. 393.....	320.63
Kenwood Lodge, No. 288.....	409.00
Loyal Lodge, No. 601.....	467.56
W. R. Humphrey, P.G.M.....	302.00
Golden Rod Lodge, No. 59.....	318.00

Venice Lodge, No. 719.....	327.00
New Chicago Lodge, No. 506.....	337.75
Evanston Lodge, No. 673.....	297.41
Marie Rolle, Old Folks' Home.....	254.96
Bloomington Lodge, No. 400.....	278.75
Decatur Lodge, No. 65.....	250.64
Brighton Park Lodge, No. 639.....	280.00
Lakeside Lodge, No. 450.....	241.75
Norden Lodge, No. 699.....	305.00
Mozart Lodge, No. 345.....	225.00
Avondale Lodge, No. 871.....	255.00
Chicago Encampment, No. 10.....	225.00
Commercial Lodge, No. 165.....	280.00
Champaign Lodge, No. 333.....	229.00
J. P. Klein (Lodge No. 107).....	208.00
Dwight Lodge, No. 513.....	257.65
Excelsior Lodge, No. 22.....	220.00
Cicero Lodge, No. 217.....	208.80
John G. Whittier Lodge, No. 666.....	231.74
Remembrance Lodge, No. 77.....	300.00
A. J. Bird (Lodge, No. 230).....	200.00
South End Picnic Association (Cook County).....	200.00
Vesper Rebekah Lodge, No. 172.....	225.00
Palacky Lodge, No. 630.....	299.00
Sheridan Lodge, No. 662.....	227.35
Walhalla Lodge, No. 574.....	194.00
Springfield Lodge, No. 465.....	191.90
A. T. Sherman Lodge, No. 892.....	218.12
Edgar Lodge, No. 91.....	185.00
Kenney Lodge, No. 557.....	180.80
Blue Bell Rebekah Lodge, No. 460.....	179.69
Pullman Lodge, No. 716.....	178.81
Macedonia Lodge, No. 315.....	225.00
Sangamon Lodge, No. 6.....	196.90
Cable Lodge, No. 637.....	175.00
Herrin Lodge, No. 430.....	215.25
Olympia Lodge, No. 477.....	190.00
Crawford Lodge, No. 124.....	225.00
First Swedish Lodge, No. 479.....	240.00
Marcelline Lodge, No. 127.....	230.00
Sidell Lodge, No. 225.....	210.00
White City Lodge, No. 878.....	264.10
Pride of the Valley Lodge, No. 435.....	200.00
Carnation Lodge, No. 933.....	262.16
Golden Link Lodge, No. 517.....	247.50

Barrington Lodge, No. 856.....	197.94
Electric Lodge, No. 868.....	156.00
Edina Lodge, No. 391.....	155.00
Praha Lodge, No. 231.....	185.00
Montgomery Lodge, No. 40.....	214.70
Good Samaritan Lodge, No. 540.....	152.10
Carlinville Lodge, No. 107.....	182.40
Northern Light Lodge, No. 544.....	165.25
Illini Lodge, No. 4.....	150.00
Edwardsville Lodge, No. 46.....	149.20
Plymouth Lodge, No. 888.....	155.00
Summit Lodge, No. 834.....	175.00
F. D. P. Snelling.....	250.00
Kempton Lodge, No. 406.....	155.00
Atlas Lodge, No. 261.....	140.00
Friendship Lodge, No. 24.....	190.00
Waterloo Lodge, No. 27.....	138.00
Coal City Lodge, No. 519.....	155.00
Clay City Lodge, No. 384.....	165.00
Colfax Lodge, No. 198.....	135.00
Mason City Lodge, No. 337.....	135.00
Fernwood Lodge, No. 238.....	132.00
Hoffnung Lodge, No. 353.....	151.30
Dove Lodge, No. 600.....	130.00
Waverly Lodge, No. 93.....	126.00
John Wilson Lodge, No. 760.....	125.55
Arcanus Lodge, No. 102.....	200.00
New Baden Lodge No. 539.....	125.00
Richland Lodge, No. 180.....	124.46
Iris Lodge, No. 267.....	123.00
Vernon Lodge, No. 324.....	120.00
Moline Lodge, No. 133.....	195.00
Moultrie Lodge, No. 158.....	121.30
New Century Lodge, No. 350.....	140.00
Industrial Lodge, No. 550.....	116.67
Aledo Lodge, No. 236.....	125.25
Congress Lodge, No. 362.....	115.00
Lafayette Lodge, No. 657.....	135.00
Peabody Lodge, No. 613.....	125.00
Mill Shoals Lodge, No. 835.....	159.00
Central Park Lodge, No. 328.....	113.75
Bethany Lodge, No. 749.....	113.20
Massac Lodge, No. 442.....	111.50
North Henderson Lodge, No. 628.....	101.00
Carmi Lodge, No. 189.....	130.00

Pocahontas Rebekah Lodge, No. 59.....	110.00
Lake City Lodge, No. 42.....	121.00
Sumner Lodge, No. 249.....	210.00
Deering Lodge, No. 717.....	140.79
McLean Lodge, No. 206.....	160.00
Granite City Lodge, No. 852.....	119.00
Clinton Lodge, No. 555.....	118.15
Advance Rebekah Lodge, No. 405.....	136.75
Althea Lodge, No. 619.....	155.50
Primas Lodge, No. 889.....	105.00
Tuscola Lodge, No. 316.....	115.00
Silurian Lodge, No. 449.....	105.00
Suburban Lodge, No. 110.....	125.00
Alexander Lodge, No. 224.....	103.41
Onarga Members, No. 208.....	153.11
Golden Rule Lodge, No. 374.....	115.00
Helvetia Lodge, No. 480.....	115.65
Unity Lodge, No. 310.....	129.06
Pittsfield Lodge, No. 95.....	100.00
Waukegan Lodge, No. 793.....	131.65
Souvenir Lodge, No. 831.....	175.00
Yorkville Lodge, No. 839.....	100.00
Amity Lodge, No. 132.....	102.00
Pan American Lodge, No. 461.....	102.00
West Jersey Lodge, No. 234.....	110.00
Denmark Lodge, No. 908.....	100.00
Goethe Lodge, No. 329.....	145.00
Berwyn Lodge, No. 455.....	109.15
Southwestern Lodge, No. 484.....	119.50
Genoa Lodge, No. 768.....	109.00
Orient Lodge, No. 626.....	120.00
Federal Lodge, No. 499.....	117.80
Gibson Lodge, No. 542.....	115.00
Romine Lodge, No. 663.....	103.00
Grand Lodge Collection, November, 1908.....	101.55
Leah Rebekah Lodge, No. 232.....	100.00
Lake View Lodge, No. 10.....	100.00
Adah Rebekah Lodge, No. 41.....	100.00
Mound City Lodge, No. 250.....	100.00
James R. Kewley Lodge, No. 450.....	100.00
Vlast Rebekah Lodge, No. 165.....	100.00
Galatia Lodge, No. 433.....	100.00
Star Lodge, No. 75.....	155.00
Madison Lodge, No. 43.....	104.00
Deland Lodge, No. 740.....	105.00

Sycamore Lodge, No. 105.....	119.55
West Salem Lodge, No. 137.....	106.00
Tazewell Lodge, No. 144.....	105.00
Savanna Lodge, No. 164.....	122.15
Juniata Lodge, No. 201.....	104.00
Illinois City Lodge, No. 229.....	102.00
East Peoria Lodge, No. 668.....	100.00
Timber Lodge, No. 906.....	100.00
St. Anne Lodge, No. 820.....	100.00
Memento Lodge, No. 44.....	110.00
Dongola Lodge, No. 343.....	110.99
Simon Brandenstein	125.00
John Latas	270.55
W. B. Fritz of No. 155.....	100.00
Centennial Lodge, No. 603.....	115.00
Golden Star Lodge, No. 903.....	105.00

Total\$50,079.51

Total interest received and credited as follows, according to a report of the Grand Secretary:

Orphans' Home Fund—

Credited to principal\$ 2,348.75

Credited to Maintenance Fund..... 12,401.68

Old Folks' Home Fund—

Credited to principal..... 2,309.41

Credited to Maintenance Fund..... 13,178.93

Total amount of interest received since 1910 and credited to

Maintenance Funds 25,580.61

Total amount invested in securities Orphans' Home Fund... 45,050.00

Total amount invested in securities Old Folks' Home Fund... 47,250.00

Cash on hand 1,234.81

Total amount in the Endowment Funds of the two Homes.... 93,534.81

FRED D. P. SNELLING,

GEORGE A. ANTHONY,

EDWIN S. CONWAY,

Endowment Trustees.

Report adopted.

SECOND REPORT OF ENDOWMENT TRUSTEES.

To the Grand Lodge of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Trustees of the Endowment Funds of the Orphans' Home and the Old Folks' Home, beg to report as follows:

From moneys received from former investments paid off, cash on hand, and the donations at the Grand Lodge session of 1917, we have made the following investments:

Orphans' Home Fund.

On February 12, 1918, we purchased two School District 57, Lawrence Co., Illinois, bonds of \$500.00 each, each, drawing 6 per cent and due July 1, 1925, paying therefor a premium of \$50.50 plus accrued interest of \$7.14. Total	\$ 1,057.64
On March 5, 1918, we purchased \$7,000.00 notes, bearing 5½ per cent interest and due October 16, 1922, made by James and Joseph McBride. Secured by first mortgage on 120 acres in Lee County, Illinois, valued at \$15,000.00. We paying face value and accrued interest, \$148.65 and \$175.00 to reduce the interest to 5 per cent. Total.....	7,323.75
On June 20, 1918, we invested \$1,000.00 in Third Liberty Loan United States 4½ per cent Bonds. Registered in the name of the Grand Lodge of Illinois, I. O. O. F.....	1,000.00
On October 10, 1918, we subscribed for \$1,250.00 of Fourth Liberty Loan United States Bonds, drawing 4¼ per cent; all of the bonds purchased being registered in the name of the Grand Lodge of Illinois, I. O. O. F.....	1,250.00

Old Folks' Home Fund.

On February 12, 1918, we purchased seven School District No. 57 Lawrence County, Illinois building bonds of \$500.00 each, drawing 6 per cent; one maturing July 1, 1925, three maturing July 1, 1926, and three maturing July 1, 1927, paying for them a premium of 176.75, plus accrued interest of \$24.36. Total	3,701.11
On April 30, 1918, we subscribed for \$7,750.00 in Third Liberty Loan United States Registered Bonds which draw 4¼ interest. Total	7,750.00
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Total amount invested in securities, Orphans' Home Fund....	45,050.00
Total amount invested in securities, Old Folks' Home Fund...	47,250.00
Cash on hand in Orphans' Home Fund.....	491.51
Cash on hand in Old Folks' Home Fund.....	743.30

Total amount in Endowment Fund of two Homes.....\$93,534.81

Respectfully submitted,

F. D. P. SNELLING,
GEO. A. ANTHONY,
E. S. CONWAY,

Endowment Trustees

Report adopted.

REPORT OF THE GRAND SECRETARY

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

I herewith submit my annual report as your Secretary for the year ending October 31, 1918.

Your Grand Secretary has entertained many fears as to the effect which the World War would have on Odd Fellowship in the Jurisdiction of Illinois. While it has, no doubt, interfered in a measure with our growth, the general condition of the Order is better than could have been expected. Many lodges have lost their most active and influential members, by reason of enlistment in the service. These lodges are in a dormant condition, but I am pleased to report that practically all of them are holding meetings regularly and are discharging the duties of a Subordinate Lodge.

We are looking forward to a speedy termination of this greatest of all wars and are confidently looking forward to the time when justice will prevail throughout the world.

With the return of our soldier members will come added opportunities and responsibilities. Many of them will need assistance, but Illinois is fortunate in having on hand at this time a large War Fund which can be used for this purpose.

Notwithstanding the war, the Order in Illinois made a substantial gain in membership during the past year, to-wit: 2,222 members in the Subordinate Lodges, and a gain of 1,496 in the Rebekah Lodges.

Illinois has been for many years, and is now one of the leading Jurisdictions in Odd Fellowship and we confidently believe that our Jurisdiction will maintain this proud distinction in the years to come.

STATISTICS.

Subordinate Lodges	992
Subordinate membership	108,916
Net gain in membership	2,222

SUBORDINATE LODGES.

Term ending January 1, 1918.

Number of Lodges last report.....	991
Instituted during year	6
Surrendered charters and consolidated.....	5
Number of Subordinate Lodges January 1, 1918.....	992

Membership.

Membership at last report.....	106,694
Initiated	6,748
Admitted by card	956
Reinstated	650
	8,354
First total	115,048

Deduct.

Withdrawn by card	838
Resigned	95
Suspended	16
Dropped for non-payment of dues.....	3,991
Expelled	57
Deceased	1,135
	6,132

Membership January 1, 1918.....	108,916
Number of rejections.....	169
Number of Past Grands.....	23,165
Number of Brothers relieved.....	7,794
Number of weeks benefits paid.....	53,621
Number of widowed families relieved.....	233

Relief.

Paid for relief of Brothers.....	\$ 178,607.51
Paid for relief of widowed families.....	4,142.60
Paid for education of orphans.....	1,172.76
Paid for Orphans' Home.....	44,000.00
Paid for Old Folks' Home.....	46,000.00
Paid for special relief.....	24,906.07
Paid for burying deceased.....	91,021.57
Total relief	\$ 389,850.51

Receipts.

Receipts from dues.....	\$ 538,193.00
Receipts from initiations and degrees.....	121,593.84
Receipts from interest and rents.....	233,557.97
Receipts from other sources.....	101,302.76
Total receipts	\$ 994,647.57

Total expenditures\$ 846,287.46
 Net worth of Subordinate Lodges in Illinois..... 3,560,223.52

In order to give a better idea of what the Order is doing in the matter of membership, I here give the annual net gain or loss for the last ten years:

SUBORDINATE LODGES.

Year.	Gain.
1909	2,534
1910	4,610
1911	4,786
1912	5,064
1913	2,205
1914	2,531
1915 Loss	97
1916	1,027
1917	702
1918	2,222
Total	25,584

TABLE OF AVERAGES, SUBORDINATE LODGES, ILLINOIS.

Average membership per Lodge in Illinois, 109.71+

Average amount of relief paid by the Order for each day in 1917-8, \$821.50+.

The number of Brothers who received benefits was one in every 13.97+.

Average amount received by each sick Brother, \$38.46+.

Average cost per member to pay sick benefits, \$2.75+.

Average duration of sickness, 6 weeks, 5 days+.

Average duration of sickness, if spread over entire membership, 3 days, 10 hours, 19 minutes.

Average amount paid by each member for maintenance of Orphans' and Old Folks' Homes, \$.826+.

Ratio of deaths, 10.4 in 1,000.

Average amount of funeral benefit paid for each death, \$80.19+.

Total average receipts per member, \$4.94+.

Average cost per member for relief and charity, \$2.75+.

Average excess of receipts over expenditures, \$1.17+.

Average assets per member, the total being \$3,560,223.52, is \$32.68+.

SICK BENEFITS.

In order to view the work of the Order intelligently, I have compiled a table below showing the membership of the Order, the number of weeks' benefits paid, and the average number of days' sickness per member for twenty years.

Year.	Member- ship.	Weeks' sickness.	Av. days' sickness per member.
1898	50,928	25,800	3.5
1899	51,863	29,402	4.0
1900	54,416	28,959	3.7
1901	56,819	31,039	3.8
1902	60,088	33,120	3.8
1903	63,716	33,379	3.7
1904	66,843	36,368	3.8
1905	69,882	37,108	3.7
1906	74,556	37,876	3.7
1907	78,920	38,533	3.4
1908	83,332	42,307	3.5
1909	85,866	42,474	4.5
1910	90,476	43,089	3.3
1911	95,262	48,131	3.5
1912	100,326	49,417	3.8
1913	102,531	47,667	2.1
1914	105,062	50,928	3.4
1915	104,965	51,924	3.4
1916	105,992	52,744	3.4
1917	106,694	40,102	2.6
1918	108,916	53,621	3.3
Twenty years	1,717,453	813,886	74.9
Yearly average	85,872	40,694	3.7

REBEKAH DEGREE.

Term Ending December 31, 1917.

Number of Lodges..... 808

Membership.

	Brothers.	Sisters.	Total.
Members per last report.....	17,031	44,282	61,313
Initiated during year	1,656	4,273	5,929

Admitted by card	123	483	606
Reinstated.	145	429	574
Total Added.	1,924	5,185	7,109
Total	18,955	49,467	68,422

Deduct.

Withdrawn by card.	199	716	
Suspended	1,332	2,812	
Expelled	3	3	
Deceased	170	378	
Total dedeucted	1,704	3,909	5,613
Members, December 31, 1917.	17,251	45,558	62,809

Receipts.

Receipts for dues.	\$ 72,283.76
Receipts from admissions.	8,525.65
Receipts from rents and invested funds.	3,326.78
Receipts from all other sources.	19,584.05
Total receipts	\$103,720.24

Disbursements.

Amount paid for:

Relief of members.	\$ 2,910.01
Relief of widowed families.	1,944.33
Relief of orphans.	1,721.90
Education of orphans.	243.80
Special relief	4,819.76

Total relief \$ 11,639.80

The amount paid for the working or current expenses of Rebekah Lodges for the year.	\$ 86,541.80
Amount paid for expenses of the Rebekah Assembly for the year	19,665.29
Invested funds of Rebekah Lodges.	60,749.38
Invested funds of Rebekah Assembly (Liberty Bond).	1,000.00

REBEKAH LODGES.

Year.	Gain.
1909	1,315
1910	1,305

1911	3,533
1912	3,785
1913	3,346
1914	2,900
1915	2,332
1916	1,154
1917	739
1918	1,496

Receipts.

Nov. 1, 1917, to Nov. 1, 1918.

By sale of Grand Lodge supplies.....	\$	6,257.50
Charter fees (profit).....		6.75
Orphans' Home:		
Received from G. Treas., Int. on Endowment Funds....	\$	1,811.75
Received from donations and other sources.....		5,235.57
Received from farm products.....		3,659.82
		10,707.14
Old Folks' Home:		
Received from G. Treas., Int. on Endowment Funds....	\$	2,069.80
Received from donations and other sources.....		3,469.67
Received from farm products		2,256.52
		7,795.99
Aged Odd Fellows Fund.....		156.30
Orphans' Home Endowment Funds—donations.....		2,037.09
Orphans' Home Endowment Funds—repayment of bonds and loans....		8,240.00
Old Folks' Home Endowment Funds—donations.....		2,187.51
Old Folks' Home Endowment Funds—repayment of loans.....		6,300.00
Soldiers' and Sailors' War Relief Fund.....		660.31
Grand Lodge Special Relief.....		3,037.61
Rent account—Odd Fellows Herald.....		150.00
Rebate account mileage and per diem not paid by M. P. Berry, G. T.		436.80
Grand Lodge Tax		63,667.20
Home Tax		103,486.00
Total ..		\$ 215,126.20

Disbursements.

Nov. 1, 1917, to Nov. 1, 1918.

	Appropriation.	Disbursement.
Appropriation for mileage and per diem.....	\$ 15,000.00	
Mileage and per diem—Session 1917.....		\$ 15,000.00
Appropriation Grand Master's Salary.....	1,200.00	
Grand Master's Salary.....		1,200.00
Appropriation Grand Master's Clerk and Stenographer.....	1,200.00	
Grand Master's Clerk and Stenographer.....		1,200.00
Appropriation Grand Master's office expense.....	600.00	
Grand Master's office expense.....		600.00
Appropriation Grand Secretary's Salary.....	2,500.00	
Grand Secretary's Salary.....		2,500.00
Appropriation Grand Secretary's Clerk and Stenographer....	2,100.00	
Grand Secretary's Clerk and Stenographer—		
R. L. Carver.....	\$ 1,200.00	
Marie Heintze	900.00	
		2,100.00
Appropriation Grand Secretary's office expense.....	3,000.00	
Grand Secretary's office expense for 1918:		
Express and Freight.....	\$ 83.70	
Postage	1,083.00	
Telephone and Telegraph.....	132.91	
Janitor	180.00	
Sundries	1,072.27	
Filing Cabinet	471.60	
		3,023.48

Appropriation Grand Secretary's expense S. G. L.....\$	100.00	
Grand Secretary's expense S. G. L.....		50.00
Appropriation Grand Treasurer's Salary.....	100.00	
Grand Treasurer's Salary.....		100.00
Appropriation Official Visitations, Special Deputies, Schools	2,000.00	
Official Visitations, Special Deputies, Schools of In-		
struction		1,593.90
Appropriation Sovereign Grand Lodge Tax.....	150.00	
Sovereign Grand Lodge Tax, 1918.....		150.00
Appropriation expense of Committees.....	1,000.00	
Expense of Committees:		
Finance \$	421.16	
Judiciary and Appeals.....	346.45	
Printing	91.18	
Special	122.95	
		981.74
Appropriation for Grand Lodge Stationery.....	2,000.00	
Grand Lodge Stationery, circulars, etc.....		2,318.00
Appropriation printing Grand Officers' Reports.....	1,000.00	
Printing 1,500 copies Grand Officers' Reports, 1917.....		797.50
Appropriation printing Daily Journal.....	500.00	
Printing 1,500 copies Daily Journal, 1917.....		289.75
Appropriation printing Grand Lodge Journal.....	2,000.00	
Printing 2,500 copies Grand Lodge Journal, 1917.....		1,502.75
Appropriation editing Grand Lodge Journal.....	200.00	
Editing Grand Lodge Journal, 1917, Owen Scott.....		200.00
Appropriation Assistance for Weak Lodges.....	500.00	
Assistance for Weak Lodges.....		115.10
Appropriation for Grand Lodge Session, Sundries.....	500.00	
Grand Lodge Sundries for 1917:		
A. C. Low, Assistant Grand Secretary \$	30.00	
H. J. Reeziger, Minute Clerk.....	40.00	
Owen Scott, Proofreader	25.00	
Hazel Hobbs, Grand Lodge Stenog.....	17.50	
Sigel Hubbard, Asst. Grand Guardian..	10.00	
M. Blumle, Custodian.....	15.00	
Charles L. Taylor, Messenger to G. M.	15.00	
C. L. Hawkins, Asst. Grand Guardian..	10.00	
I. O. Arnold, Asst. Grand Guardian...	10.00	
H. B. Carley, Messenger to G. Sec.....	15.00	
Sven Windrow, Official Reporter.....	15.00	
E. B. Hackleman, Asst. Grand Guardian	10.00	
J. Twery, Asst. Grand Guardian.....	10.00	
V. D. Scarborough, Asst. Gr. Guardian.	10.00	
Edw. Priestman, Asst. Grand Guardian.	10.00	
K. Doran, Asst. Grand Guardian.....	10.00	
J. H. Byers, Asst. Grand Guardian.....	10.00	
Fred A. Rice, Asst. Credential Com....	20.00	
James O'Neil, Janitor State House.....	50.00	
Nelson Foley, Chm. M. P. Committee...	15.00	
		347.50
Bills allowed by Grand Lodge:		
Payment Honorable Veteran Jewels, donated.....	640.00	
John B. Goodwin, Grand Lodge Supplies, per inventory	6,026.00	
Fidelity and Deposit Co., Payment on Bonds.....	475.00	
Printing Revised Code.....	255.00	
Legal Services, Prager Case, Fred B. Merrills.....	75.00	
Past Grand Master's Jewel.....	28.00	
		7,499.00
Special Relief by Grand Master:		
Donation, W. I. Ross, Rose Hill.....	120.00	
Donation, Mrs. C. A. Anderson, Chicago	90.00	
Donation, Orphans' Home Grad. class..	180.00	
Donation, A. A. Sharp.....	25.00	
Donation, Eva Sands, former O. H. girl	137.00	
Rockford I. O. O. F. League.....	173.90	
Halifax disaster	1,600.00	
		2,325.90
Appropriation Soldiers' and Sailors' War Relief.....	40,000.00	
Soldiers' and Sailors' War Relief—Warrants drawn.....		33,511.38
* Orphans' Home, Grand Lodge appropriation.....	44,000.00	
Orphans' Home warrants drawn, vouchers 8233 to 8762..		54,178.21
* Old Folks' Home, Grand Lodge Appropriation.....\$	46,000.00	
Old Folks' Home, warrants drawn, vouchers 8532 to 9141		56,528.32
Old Folks' Home Building Acct. warrants drawn.....		147.10

Endowment Investments—Old Folks' Home:			
Summer School Bonds, Dist. No. 57.....	\$	3,676.75	
Int. School Bonds, Jan. 1 to Feb. 2, 1918		24.95	
Investment 3d U. S. Lib. Loan Bonds		7,550.00	
			11,251.70
Orphans' Home:			
Summer School Bonds, Dist. No. 57.....		1,050.50	
Int. School Bonds, Dist. No. 57, Jan. 1, 1918, to Feb. 13, 1918.....		7.30	
Mortgage 120 acres Lee Co. Land.....		7,000.00	
Int. 120 acres Lee Co. land to Mar. 5, 1918		323.65	
Examining Title 120 acres Lee land.....		14.50	
Examination 120 acres Lee land.....		12.50	
Third U. S. Liberty Loan Bonds.....		1,000.00	
Fourth U. S. Liberty Loan Bonds.....		1,250.00	
			10,658.45
Interest Account Endowment Funds:			
Orphans' Home		1,811.75	
Old Folks' Home.....		2,069.80	
Total	\$	214,051.33	

* This report does not show the balance on hand at the beginning of the year nor does it show the amount of money received from donations, sale of products, and other sources. For correct Home balances see detailed financial statements in Home reports.

GRAND TREASURER'S RECEIPTS TO GRAND SECRETARY.

November 1, 1917, to May 1, 1918.

As Grand Secretary I have remitted to the Grand Treasurer the sum of \$114,862.66 to be credited to the various Grand Lodge accounts. as follows: this amount represents the total amount received by me as Grand Secretary for six months beginning November 1, 1917, and ending April 30, 1918.

Jan. 7, 1918, Orphans' Home Endowment Account..	\$1,980.93
Jan. 16, 1918, Orphans' Home Endowment Account..	7,000.00
Feb. 25, 1918, Orphans' Home Endowment Account..	.16
May 4, 1918, Orphans' Home Endowment Account..	13.75
Total	\$8,994.84
Jan. 7, 1918, Old Folks' Home Endowment Account..	\$1,944.92
Feb. 25, 1918, Old Folks' Home Endowment Account	.59
Mar. 22, 1918, Old Folks' Home Endowment Account.	6,000.00
Mar. 22, 1918, Old Folks' Home Endowment Account.	300.00
May 4, 1918, Old Folks' Home Endowment Account.	13.75
Total	8,259.26
Feb. 12, 1918, Refund unpaid Mileage and Per Diem.....	436.80
May 4, 1918, Aged Odd Fellows Account.....	103.81
May 4, 1918, Orphans' Home Account.....	4,532.22
May 4, 1918, Old Folks' Home Account.....	2,707.41
May 4, 1918, Illinois Soldiers and Sailors' Relief Fund.....	189.86

Feb. 18, 1918, Grand Lodge Special Relief.....	\$2,000.00	
May 3, 1918, Grand Lodge Special Relief.....	1,012.61	
		3,012.61
General Fund	\$	35,953.35
Home Tax		50,681.50
Total		\$114,862.66

May 1 to Nov. 1, 1918.

As Grand Treasurer I have remitted to the Grand Treasurer the sum of \$100,263.54 to be credited to the various Grand Lodge accounts as follows: This amount represents the total amount received by me as Grand Secretary for six months beginning May 1, 1918, and ending Oct. 31, 1918.

July 10, 1918, General Fund.....	\$20,000.00	
Nov. 2, 1918, General Fund	14,128.10	
		\$34,128.10
July 18, 1918, Home Tax Fund.	20,000.00	
July 27, 1918, Home Tax Fund.	15,000.00	
Oct. 5, 1918, Home Tax Fund.....	15,000.00	
Nov. 2, 1918, Home Tax Fund.	2,804.50	
Total.		\$52,804.50
July 31, 1918, Orphans' Home Endowment.....	1,240.00	
Nov. 2, 1918, Orphans' Home Endowment.....	42.25	
		1,282.25
Nov. 2, 1918, Old Folks' Home Endowment.....		228.25
Nov. 2, 1918, Aged Odd Fellows Fund.		52.49
Nov. 2, 1918, Orphans' Home Fund.....		6,183.92
Nov. 2, 1918, Old Folks' Home Fund.....		5,088.58
Nov. 2, 1918 Soldiers and Sailors' War Relief Fund.....		470.45
Nov. 2, 1918, Special Relief.		25.00
Total.		\$100,263.54

STOCK ON HAND MAY 1, 1918.

	Stock on hand Nov. 1, 1917...	Bought.....	Total.....	Sold.....	On hand, May 1, 1918...
Cards	816	700	1,516	467	1,049
Rituals	59	208	267	55	212
Odes	1,801	500	2,301	680	1,621
Transfer Certificates	630	500	1,130	462	668
Official Certificates	406	1,500	1,906	1,275	631
Question Books	18	50	68	22	46
Book of Forms	36	50	86	16	70
Grand Lodge Cards.....	176	...	176	11	165
Funeral and Anniversary Ceremonies.	283	200	483	162	321
Floor Work	71	...	71	15	56
Codes of 1906.....	507	...	507	4	503
Veteran Jewels and Charms.....	67	300	367	216	151
Degree Charts	15	...	5	5	...
Cipher Books	322	1,000	1,322	737	585
Odes with Music.....	49	100	149	44	105
Diplomas	18	...	18	...	18
Book of Odes.....	14	100	114	14	100
Veteran Buttons	30	100	130	48	82
Joint Installation Ceremony.....	...	200	200	26	174
Honorable Veteran Jewels.....	5	20	25	218	7
Sovereign Grand Lodge Codes.....	13	...	13	4	9
Opening and Closing Ceremonies.....	24	...	24	...	24
Sovereign Grand Lodge Journals.....	35	...	35	...	35
Charters and Borders.....	140	...	140	14	126
Simplified Codes	901	2,000	2,901	31,650	1,251
Unwritten Work	1	...	1	...	1
Grand Lodge Rituals.....	4	4	8	...	8
Past Grand Master's Jewels.....	...	1	1	1	1

1 Return not paid for.

2 18 presented by Grand Lodge.

3 901 out of date.

4 1 presented to P. G. M.

STOCK ON HAND MAY 1, 1918.

Cards	1,049	@	\$.15	\$ 157.35
Rituals	212	@	2.00	424.00
Odes	1,621	@	.03	48.63
Transfer Certificates	668	@	.15	100.20
Official Certificates	631	@	.45	283.95
Question Books	46	@	1.00	46.00
Books of Forms	70	@	.75	52.50
Grand Lodge Cards.....	165	@	.10	16.50
Funeral and Anniversary Ceremonies.....	298	@	.20	59.60
Funeral Ceremonies (Rebekah).....	23	@	.10	2.30
Floor Work	56	@	.30	16.80
Codes of 1906.....	503	@	1.80	905.40
Veteran Jewels and Charms.....	151	@	7.00	1,057.00
Cipher Books	585	@	.25	146.25
Odes with Music.....	105	@	.08	8.40
Diplomas	18	@	.50	9.00
Books of Odes.....	100	@	.50	50.00
Veteran Buttons	82	@	1.00	82.00
Joint Installation Ceremonies.....	174	@	.50	87.00
Honorable Veteran Jewels.....	7	@	20.00	140.00
Sovereign Grand Lodge Codes.....	9	@	1.50	13.50
Opening and Closing Ceremonies.....	24	@	.25	6.00
Sovereign Grand Lodge Journals.....	35	@	1.50	52.50
Charters and Borders.....	126	@	.30	37.80
Simplified Codes of 1918.....	1,251	@	.13	162.63
Unwritten work	1	@	35.00	35.00
Grand Lodge Rituals.....	8	@	2.00	16.00
Total				\$4,016.31

BUSINESS STATEMENT MAY 1, 1918.

To stock on hand Nov. 1, 1917.....	\$2,594.05
To stock bought S. G. L. Supplies, Nov. 1, 1917, to May 1, 1918.....	4,457.50
To stock bought 2,000 Simplified Codes.....	260.00
By sale of—	

Cards	467	@	\$.25	\$ 116.75
Rituals	55	@	2.50	137.50
Odes	680	@	.05	34.00
Transfer Certificates	462	@	.25	115.50
Official Certificates	1,275	@	.50	637.50
Question Books	22	@	1.50	33.00
Book of Forms.....	16	@	1.00	16.00

Grand Lodge Cards.....	11	@	\$1.00	\$11.00
Floor Work	15	@	.40	6.00
Codes of 1906.....	4	@	2.00	8.00
Degree Charts	5	@	2.25	11.25
Odes with Music.....	44	@	.10	4.40
Cipher Books	737	@	.50	368.50
Book of Odes	14	@	.65	9.10
Honorable Veterans' Jewels...	18	@	20.00	360.00
Veteran Buttons	48	@	1.25	60.00
S. G. L. Codes.....	4	@	2.00	8.00
Veteran Jewels	216	@	8.00	1,728.00
Funeral and Anniversary Cere-				
monies	162	@	.25	40.50
Codes—Simplified	749	@	.25	187.25
Joint Installation	26	@	1.00	26.00
Grand Lodge Journals.....	...	...	...	1.50
Pamphlets and History of				
Homes	...	...	...	15.30
Home Picture Books.....	...	...	...	7.20
By stock on hand May 1, 1918.....				4,016 31
Profit on six months' business.....			647.01	
Total			\$7,958.56	\$7,958.56

Tuesday,
Nov. 19, 1918.

GRAND LODGE OF ILLINOIS, I. O. O. F.

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CASH STATEMENT, MAY 1, 1918.

RECEIPTS.		DISBURSEMENTS.	
Cards	\$ 116.75	Remitted to Grand Treasurer	
Rituals	137.50	M. P. Berry.....	\$ 114,862.66
Grand Lodge Journals.....	1.50		
Odes	34.00		
Aged Odd Fellows' Fund.....	103.81		
Transfer Certificates	115.50		
Official Certificates.....	637.50		
Question Books.....	33.00		
Book of Forms.....	16.00		
Grand Lodge Cards.....	11.00		
Floor Work	6.00		
Codes	8.00		
Degree Charts	11.25		
Odes with Music.....	4.40		
Clpber Books	368.50		
Profit on new Charters.....	2.40		
Old Folks' Home Endowment	8,259.26		
Orphans' Home Endowment.	8,994.84		
Book of Odes.....	9.10		
Honorable Veteran Jewels...	360.00		
Veteran Buttons	60.00		
History of Homes.....	1.00		
Home Picture Books.....	7.20		
Sovereign Grand Lodge Codes	8.00		
Pamphlets	14.30		
Veteran Jewels	1,728.00		
Funeral and Anniversary			
Cereemonies	40.50		
Rebate account unpaid M.			
and P. by G. Treasurer....	436.80		
Orphans' Home Account....	4,523.22		
Old Folks' Home Account...	2,707.41		
Rent Account—Odd Fellows			
Herald	75.00		
Codes (Simplified)	187.25		
Grand Lodge Tax.....	31,933.70		
Home Tax	50,681.50		
Soldiers' and Sailors' War			
Relief Fund	189.86		
Joint Installation Ceremony.	26.00		
Special Relief	3,012.61		
	\$ 114,862.66		\$ 114,862.66

STOCK ON HAND NOV. 1, 1918.

	Stock on hand May 1, 1918....	Bought.....	Total.....	Sold.....	On hand Nov. 1, 1918....
Cards	1,049	...	1,049	204	845
Rituals	212	...	212	40	172
Odes	1,621	300	1,921	262	1,659
Transfer Certificates	668	...	668	231	437
Official Certificates	631	500	1,131	635	496
Question Books	46	...	46	6	40
Book of Forms.....	70	...	70	8	62
Grand Lodge Cards.....	165	...	165	9	156

Funeral and Anniversary Ceremonies..	321	*250	571	100	471
Floor Work	56	...	56	10	46
Codes of 1906	503	...	503	2	501
Veteran Jewels and Charms.....	151	100	251	132	119
Degree Charts	...	12	12	2	10
Cipher Books	585	550	1,135	524	611
Odes with Music.....	105	...	105	37	68
Diplomas	18	...	18	3	15
Books of Odes.....	100	...	100	9	91
Veterans Buttons	82	...	82	19	63
Joint Installation Ceremony.....	174	...	174	17	157
Honorable Veteran Jewels.....	7	20	27	*14	13
Sovereign Grand Lodge Codes.....	9	...	9	4	5
Opening and Closing Ceremony.....	24	...	24	...	24
Sovereign Grand Lodge Journal.....	35	...	35	...	35
Charters and Borders.....	126	...	126	214	112
Simplified Codes	1,251	...	1,251	31,151	100
Unwritten Work	1	...	1	...	1
Grand Lodge Rituals	8	...	8	...	8
Past Grand Master's Jewel.....	...	1	1	...	1

Bought:

*200 @ 20c; 50 @ 10c.

Sold:

*14 Presented by Grand Lodge.

214 New Lodges and Duplicates.

31074 Given to Lodges and Committees.

STOCK ON HAND NOV. 1, 1918.

Cards	845	@	\$.15	\$ 126.75
Rituals	172	@	2.00	344.00
Odes	1,659	@	.03	49.77
Transfer Certificates	437	@	.15	65.55
Official Certificates	496	@	.45	223.20
Question Books	40	@	1.00	40.00
Books of Forms	62	@	.75	46.50
Grand Lodge Cards.....	156	@	.15	23.40
Funeral and Anniversary Ceremonies.....	421	@	.20	84.20
Funeral Ceremonies (Rebekah).....	50	@	.10	5.00
Floor Work	46	@	.30	13.80
Codes of 1906	501	@	1.80	901.80
Veteran Jewels and Charms.....	119	@	7.00	833.00
Degree Charts	10	@	2.00	20.00
Cipher Books	611	@	.25	152.75
Odes with Music.....	68	@	.08	5.44



Jno. H. Liles.

Grand Secretary,
Springfield.

Diplomas	15	@	\$.50	\$ 7.50
Books of Odes.....	91	@	.50	45.50
Veteran Buttons	63	@	1.00	63.00
Joint Installation	157	@	.50	78.50
Honorable Veteran Jewels.....	13	@	20.00	260.00
Sovereign Grand Lodge Codes.....	5	@	1.50	7.50
Opening and Closing Ceremonies.....	24	@	.25	6.00
Sovereign Grand Lodge Journals.....	35	@	1.50	52.50
Charters and Borders.....	112	@	.30	33.60
Simplified Codes	100	@	.10	10.00
Unwritten Work	1	@	35.00	35.00
Grand Lodge Rituals.....	8	@	2.00	16.00
Past Grand Master's Jewel.....	1	@	28.00	28.00
Total				\$3,578.26

BUSINESS STATEMENT NOV. 1, 1918.

To stock on hand May 1, 1918.....\$4,016.31

Stock bought S. G. L. supplies May 1 to Nov. 1, 1918 1,568.50

By sale of—

Cards	204	@	\$.25	\$ 51.00
Rituals	40	@	2.50	100.00
Odes	262	@	.05	13.10
Transfer Certificates	231	@	.25	57.75
Official Certificates	635	@	.50	317.50
Question Books	6	@	1.50	9.00
Books of Forms.....	8	@	1.00	8.00
Grand Lodge Cards.....	9	@	1.00	9.00
Funeral and Anniversary Ceremonials	100	@	.25	25.00
Floor Work	10	@	.40	4.00
Codes of 1906	2	@	2.00	4.00
Veteran Jewels and Charms..	132	@	8.00	1,056.00
Degree Charts	2	@	2.25	4.50
Cipher Books	524	@	.50	262.00
Odes with music.....	37	@	.10	3.70
Diplomas	3	@	.75	2.25
Books of Odes.....	9	@	.65	5.85
Veteran Buttons	19	@	1.25	23.75
Joint Installation Ceremony...	17	@	1.00	17.00
Honorable Veteran Jewels....	14	@	20.00	280.00
Sovereign Grand Lodge Codes	4	@	2.00	8.00
Simplified Codes	77	@	.25	19.25
Home Picture Books, Pamphlets.....				6.60

Past Grand Master's Jewel.....	28.00	
By stock on hand Nov. 1, 1918.....		3,578.26
Profit on six months' business.....	308.70	
Total	\$5,893.51	\$5,893.51

CASH STATEMENT NOV. 1, 1918.

RECEIPTS.		DISBURSEMENTS.	
Cards	\$ 51.00	Remitted to Grand Treasurer	
Rituals	160.00	M. P. Berry.....	\$ 100,263.54
Odes	13.10		
Aged Odd Fellows Fund.....	52.49		
Transfer Certificates	57.75		
Official Certificates	317.50		
Question Books	9.00		
Book of Forms.....	8.00		
Grand Lodge Cards.....	9.00		
Floor Work	4.00		
Codes of 1906.....	4.00		
Degree Charts	4.50		
Odes with Music.....	3.70		
Cipher Books	262.00		
Diplomas	2.25		
Profit on New Charters.....	4.35		
Old Folks' Home Endowment			
Fund	228.25		
Orphans' Home Endowment			
Fund	1,282.25		
Book of Odes.....	5.85		
Honorable Veteran Jewels...	280.00		
Veteran Buttons	23.75		
Home Picture Books.....	3.60		
Sov. Grand Lodge Codes.....	8.00		
Pamphlets	3.00		
Past Grand Master's Jewel..	28.00		
Veteran Jewels	1,056.00		
Fun. and Anniversary Cere..	25.00		
Orphans' Home Account.....	6,183.92		
Old Folks' Home Account....	5,688.58		
Rent—Odd Fellows Herald..	75.00		
Code, Simplified	19.25		
Grand Lodge Tax.....	31,733.50		
Home Tax	52,801.50		
Soldiers' and Sailors' War			
Relief	470.45		
Joint Installation Ceremony.	17.00		
Special Relief	25.00		
	\$ 100,263.54		\$ 100,263.54

HONORABLE VETERAN JEWELS.

Under instructions from the Grand Lodge of Illinois (see Journal, 1907, page 430; Journal, 1908, page 383) I have presented during the year, without expense, Honorable Veteran Jewels to the following Brothers, who have held continuous membership in the Order for fifty years or more. I also extended to each the congratulations of the Grand Lodge and best wishes for the future.

No. of Jewel.	Name.	No. of Jewel.	Location.		
277	Theodore Grove.....	239	Freeport	Oct.	28, 1867
278	Philip Braden.....	87	Nomeoki	Oct.	26, 1866
279	Joseph Laske.....	1035	Chicago	Oct.	4, 1867
280	C. M. Edwards, Sr.....	226	Scottville	Oct.	29, 1867
281	John Daul	365	Quincy	May	13, 1867
282	E. H. Wilson.....	126	Farmer City.....	Nov.	23, 1867
283	Louis Zerwich	219	Lebanon	Dec.	4, 1867
284	Chas. F. Spoffard.....	259	Warren	Oct.	20, 1867
285	John A. Radley.....	272	Paw Paw	Nov.	30, 1867
286	A. D. Heindal.....	259	Warren	Sept.	4, 1867
287	Wm. P. Strunk.....	681	Roodhouse	Mar.	3, 1862
288	Jacob Bejerle.....	407	Chicago	May	30, 1867
289	James S. White.....	119	Lebanon	Mar.	11, 1868
290	I. C. Smith.....	197	Polo	Mar.	30, 1868
291	Nicholas Hubacher	5	Galena	Mar.	30, 1868
292	Chas. F. Hamilton.....	244	Wyoming	Mar.	9, 1868
293	Noble Robinson	75	Morris	Feb.	6, 1868
294	A. W. Berggren.....	446	Galesburg	April	20, 1868
295	Jacob L. Nisely.....	293	Mendota	Oct.	16, 1865
296	Lake W. Sanborn.....	142	Galesburg	April	20, 1868
297	Isaac Ishler	131	Martinsville	Oct.	15, 1867
298	John J. Cox.....	143	Havana	May	21, 1868
299	James Robinson	445	Riverton	May	18, 1868
300	Jno. A. Swearingen.....	186	Decatur	Aug.	3, 1868
301	F. W. Shaefer.....	480	East St. Louis.....	April	27, 1867
302	George Ritter	166	Springfield	Sept.	2, 1867
303	Jacob Ritter	166	Springfield	Aug.	19, 1868
304	M. B. Shrewsbury.....	481	Arenzville	May	9, 1868
305	Joseph T. Wall.....	374	East St. Louis.....	Sept.	22, 1868
306	James N. Brown.....	57	Chester	Mar.	26, 1866
307	Nick Henning	5	Galena	July	13, 1868
308	W. M. Goble.....	510	Paw Paw	Oct.	31, 1868

GRAND LODGE JOURNAL OF 1917.

The Grand Lodge Journal for the session of 1917 consisted of 570 pages.

To arrange copy, read proof, and index the Grand Lodge Journal requires the entire time of a thoroughly competent person, whom we secured in the person of Past Grand Master Owen Scott.

TRUSTEES OF THE ORPHANS' AND OLD FOLKS' HOMES.

All bills allowed by the two Boards of Trustees are forwarded to me with an attached certificate signed by the President and Secretary of the Board and countersigned by the Grand Master. These bills and vouchers are kept on file in my office for future reference, and orders on the Grand Treasurer are drawn for the several amounts. Upon these vouchers the Grand Master and myself have drawn orders on the Grand Treasurer for the sum of \$56,528.32 to pay bills contracted by the Trustees of the Old Folks' Home, and the sum of \$54,178.21 to pay bills contracted by the Directors of the Orphans' Home, making a total disbursement for these two charities of the sum of \$110,706.53.

JUDICIARY AND APPEALS COMMITTEE.

As Secretary of the Judiciary and Appeals Committee, I report that four sessions of this committee were held, as provided by law, on the third Tuesdays of November, 1917, February, May, and August, of the present year. At the November session two opinions were rendered and the By-Laws from 32 Subordinate and 14 Rebekah Lodges were acted upon. At the February session the By-Laws from 33 Subordinate and 12 Rebekah Lodges were acted upon. At the May session the By-Laws from 56 Subordinate and 10 Rebekah Lodges were acted upon. At the August session, the By-Laws from 21 Subordinate and 11 Rebekah Lodges were acted upon.

ORPHANS' HOME ACCOUNT.

Nov. 1, 1917, to May 1, 1918.

1917.

Nov.	9	J. A. Lucas, Supt.	\$ 926.05
Dec.	6	J. A. Lucas, Supt.	519.60

1918.

Jan.	10	J. A. Lucas, Supt.	513.36
Feb.	9	J. A. Lucas, Supt.	281.50
Mar.	8	J. A. Lucas, Supt.	1,755.25
Apr.	11	J. A. Lucas, Supt.	527.46

Total		\$4,523.22
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OLD FOLKS' HOME ACCOUNT.

Nov. 1, 1917, to May 1, 1918.

1917.

Nov.	10	E. R. Sayler, Supt.	\$ 13.07
Dec.	10	E. R. Sayler, Supt.	341.03

1918.

Jan.	16	E. R. Sayler, Supt.	499.23
Feb.	7	E. R. Sayler, Supt.	1,009.39
Mar.	15	E. R. Sayler, Supt.	701.79
Apr.	12	E. R. Sayler, Supt.	142.90

Total		\$2,707.41
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ORPHANS' HOME ACCOUNT.

May 1, 1918, to November 1, 1918.

1918.

May 16	J. A. Lucas, Supt.	\$ 357.65
June 7	J. A. Lucas, Supt.	612.96
July 16	J. A. Lucas, Supt.	335.81
Aug. 10	J. A. Lucas, Supt.	1,823.75
Sept. 20	J. A. Lucas, Supt.	562.58
Oct. 8	J. A. Lucas, Supt.	679.42
Oct. 8	J. A. Lucas, Supt. (interest)	1,811.75
Total		\$6,183.92

May 1, 1918, to November 1, 1918.

1918.

May 17	E. R. Sayler, Supt.	\$ 181.66
June 17	E. R. Sayler, Supt.	223.54
July 13	E. R. Sayler, Supt.	149.23
Aug. 12	E. R. Sayler, Supt.	171.73
Sept. 7	E. R. Sayler, Supt.	603.09
Oct. 18	E. R. Sayler, Supt.	1,689.53
Oct. 18	E. R. Sayler, Supt. (interest)	2,069.80
Total		\$5,088.58

ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT.

Nov. 1, 1917, to May 1, 1918.

1917	Name and No. of Lodge.	Old		1917.	Name and No. of Lodge.	Old	
		Orphans' Home.	Folks' Home.			Orphans' Home.	Folks' Home.
Nov. 12	E. S. Conway.....	\$50.00	50.00		Feuerbach, 499	\$ 5.00	5.00
14	F. D. P. Snelling..	50.00	50.00		Palmer, 501	2.50	2.50
17	Downers Grove 750	3.00	2.00		New Chicago, 506...	12.50	12.50
20	Cook Co. Picnic & Anniversary Assn	50.00	50.00		Normal, 509	10.00	10.00
	W. B. Fritz, 155....	50.00	50.00		Golden Link, 517....	12.50	12.50
	L. M. Kagy.....	25.00	25.00		Coal City, 519	5.00	5.00
	W. E. P. Anderson.	2.50	2.50		Rising Sun, 531.....	10.00	10.00
	Fifty-five Rebekah	10.00	10.00		Catlin, 538	4.00	4.00
	Willard Encampment, 64.....	5.00	5.00		Chrisman, 541	2.50	2.50
	Indian Head Encampment, 83 ...	5.00	5.00		Gibson, 542	5.00	5.00
	Lacon Encampment, 85	2.50	2.50		Northern Light, 544	2.50	2.50
	J. G. Hutton, 80....	.50	.50		Vera, 551	2.50	2.50
	J. W. Seyfer, 454..	.50			Castleton, 553	5.00	5.00
	E. F. Long, 569....	.50	.50		Clinton, 555	5.00	5.00
	Western Star, 1....	2.50	2.50		John G. Potts, 561..	5.00	5.00
	Harmonize, 2	12.50	12.50		Rogers Park, 562 ...	5.00	5.00
	Union, 9	5.00	5.00		Aurora, 567	2.50	2.50
					Radger Springs, 573	2.50	2.50
					Bradford, 579	5.00	5.00
					Ashkum, 580	5.00	3.00
					Swedish Olive, 583..	15.00	15.00

1917.	Old		1917.	Old	
	Name and No. of Lodge.	Orphans' Home. Folks' Home.		Name and No. of Lodge.	Orphans' Home. Folks' Home.
	Duane, 11	\$ 10.00 10.00		Linne, 584	\$ 5.00 5.00
	Marion, 13	10.00 10.00		C. E. Burgeson, 584.	.25 .25
	Des Plaines, 23	2.50 2.50		J. A. Burgeson, 584.	.25 .25
	Friendship, 24	10.00 10.00		C. Erickson, 584.	.25 .25
	Neilson, 25	2.50 2.50		Fred Anderson, 584	.10 .15
	Powhan, 29	33.00 33.00		C. I. Harroff, 584	.25 .25
	Montgomery, 40	10.00 10.00		E. T. Peterson, 584	.15 .10
	Ottawa, 41	13.00 13.00		Carl Peterson, 584.	.25 .25
	Lake City, 42	5.00 5.00		F. H. Landen, 584.	.25 .25
	Madison, 43	10.00 10.00		J. E. Louzensky, 584	.25 .25
	Memento, 44	10.00 10.00		H. Erickson, 584.	.10 .15
	Covenant, 48	2.50 2.50		C. G. Johnson, 584.	.15 .10
	Robert Blum, 58.	5.00 5.00		G. H. Johnson, 584.	.10 .15
	Golden Rod, 59.	7.50 7.50		J. E. Bagley, 584.	.15 .10
	Eureka, 64	2.50 2.50		Jno. Anderson, 584.	.10 .15
	Star, 75	10.00 15.00		Martin Nelson, 584.	.25 .25
	Remembrance, 77 ..	25.00 25.00		P. Strenholm, 584.	.25 .25
	Spoon River, 78.	5.00 5.00		P. Nelson, 584	.15 .10
	Amicitia, 88.	3.00 3.00		E. F. Strumberger,	
	Chosen Friends, 86	5.00 5.00		584	.25 .25
	Stark, 96	5.00 5.00		C. E. Wedberg, 584.	.25 .25
	Jephtha, 100	5.00 5.00		E. Peterson, 584.	.10 .15
	Arcanus, 102	12.50 12.50		J. Lofquist, 584.	.15 .10
	Sycamore, 105	10.00 10.00		V. E. Johanson, 584.	.25 .25
	Carlville, 107.	5.00 5.00		D. W. Oman, 584.	.10 .15
	Suburban, 110	5.00 5.00		G. A. Edstrand, 584	.15 .10
	Triple Link, 115 ..	2.50 2.50		New Athens, 588.	2.50 2.50
	Crawford, 124	10.00 10.00		J. Mohawk, 589.	.50 .50
	Marcelline, 127	10.00 10.00		Moses James, 589.	.25 .25
	Kewanee, 128	25.00 25.00		Lewis Warren, 589.	.25 .25
	Moline, 133	25.00 25.00		Chas. Farthing, 589.	.50 .50
	Veltech, 136	5.00 5.00		W. O. Smothers, 589	.25 .25
	West Salem, 137.	5.00 5.00		J. Klinger, 589.	.25 .25
	Tazewell, 144	5.00 5.00		Fred Nash, 589.	.25 .25
	Shawbence, 146	5.00 5.00		W. G. Wack, 589.	.15 .10
	Abou Ben Adhem			A. T. Killion, 589.	.10 .15
	148	5.00 5.00		Advance, 590	5.00 5.00
	Savanna, 164	21.00 21.00		Fraternal, 592	2.50 2.50
	Commercial, 165 ..	10.00 10.00		Lovington, 593	1.30 1.30
	Capitol, 166	10.00 10.00		Seymour, 597	5.00 5.00
	Abingdon, 184	7.50 7.50		Loyal, 601	25.00 25.00
	Tranquil, 193	5.00 5.00		Centennial, 603	10.00 10.00
	Junlata, 201	2.50 2.50		Standard, 607	5.00 5.00
	Bohemia, 202	5.00 5.00		Beacon, 618	5.00 5.00
	Lincoln, 201	15.00		Althea, 619	12.50 12.50
	McLean, 206	15.00 15.00		Orient, 626	10.00 10.00
	Howard, 218	20.00 20.00		Palacky, 630	12.50 12.50
	Wm. Tell, 219.	10.00 10.00		Kansas, 633	5.00 5.00
	Harmonia, 221	5.00 5.00		Farina, 631	5.00 5.00
	Sidell, 225	10.00 5.00		Viola, 638	10.00 10.00
	Scottville, 226	5.00 5.00		Brighton Park, 639.	5.00 5.00
	Illinois City, 229.	5.00 5.00		Loralne, 641	5.00 5.00
	Hickory Grove, 230	5.00 5.00		Elco, 643	5.00
	Praha, 231	10.00 10.00		LaFayette, 657	5.00 5.00
	Hope, 232	25.00 25.00		Humboldt Park, 658	5.00 5.00
	West Jersey, 234.	5.00 5.00		Monce, 660	5.00 5.00
	Aledo, 236	5.00 5.00		Sheridan, 662	5.00 5.00
	Cook County, 240.	12.50 12.50		Washington, 665 ..	5.00 5.00
	Southern, 241	5.00 5.00		East Peoria, 668 ..	5.00 5.00
	Wyoming, 244	5.00 5.00		Orion, 686	5.00 5.00
	Maywood, 246	2.50 2.50		Jas. A. Garfield, 698	5.00 5.00
	Long View, 254	5.00 5.00		Norden, 699	12.50 12.50
	Pontiac, 262	10.00 10.00		Harvel, 706	6.00 6.00
	Rochester, 268	5.00 5.00		Palatine, 708	5.00 5.00
	LaClyde, 270	5.00 5.00		Owaneco, 769	2.50 2.50
	Bridgeport, 282	5.00 5.00		Deering, 717	20.81 20.84
	Benton, 284	10.00 10.00		Rock City, 718	5.00 5.00
	Kenwood, 288	15.00 15.00		Venice, 719	5.00 5.00
	Mendota, 293.	3.00 7.00		Modesto, 727	5.00 5.00
	River Grove, 295.	5.00 5.00		Stonefort, 731	5.00 5.00

	Name and No. of Lodge.	Orphans' Home.	Folks' Home.
1917.			
	Cabery, 296	\$ 2.50	2.50
	Concordia, 303	2.50	2.50
	Enfield, 313	5.00	5.00
	Macedonia, 315	5.00	5.00
	Reliance, 325	5.00	5.00
	Goethe, 329	13.00	13.00
	Barry, 336	5.00	5.00
	Dongola, 343	7.50	7.50
	Hoffnung, 353	5.00	5.00
	John Ericsson, 361	50.00	50.00
	Palmer Taylor, 363	3.00	3.00
	Golden Rule, 374	5.00	5.00
	Irvington, 381	2.00	2.00
	Garden City, 389	5.00	5.00
	Kankakee City, 390	5.00	5.00
	Rome, 394	5.00	5.00
	Eagle, 402	5.00	5.00
	Wagoner, 404	5.00	5.00
	Kempton, 406	2.50	2.50
	Lily of the West, 407	12.50	12.50
	Rose, 409	5.00	5.00
	Bentley, 412	10.00	5.00
	Beacon Light, 417	2.50	2.50
	Paxton, 418	2.50	2.50
	Greenwood, 421	5.00	5.00
	Greenview, 423	5.00	5.00
	Silvis, 424	5.00	5.00
	Marble City, 429	2.50	2.50
	Herrin, 430	5.00	5.00
	O'Fallon, 431	2.00	2.00
	Douglas, 432	5.00	5.00
	Junction, 434	5.00	5.00
	Pride of the Valley, 435	5.00	5.00
	Clear Lake, 445	5.00	5.00
	First Scandinavian, 446	5.00	5.00
	Crystal, 451	5.00	5.00
	P. R. Frederick, 451	.10	.15
	L. W. Cobb, 451	.15	.10
	Lynn Richards, 451	.10	.15
	S. W. Nelson, 451	.15	.10
	Dr. H. M. Fay, 451	.10	.15
	N. F. Hunt, 451	.15	.10
	J. D. Howell, 451	.10	.15
	H. W. Steinbach, 451	.15	.10
	Otto Kammer, 451	.10	.15
	A. S. Lund, 451	.15	.10
	P. A. Huffman, 451	.10	.15
	E. J. King, 451	.05	.05
	J. A. Peterson, 451	.15	.10
	Charley Cole, 451	.10	.15
	J. Y. Cornitz, 451	.15	.10
	H. M. Olson, 451	.10	.15
	Bert Randan, 451	.15	.10
	C. V. Matthews, 451	.10	.15
	G. L. Forrest, 451	.15	.10
	J. A. McNish, 451	.10	.15
	C. A. Wingate, 451	.75	.10
	Fred Shuman, 451	.10	.15
	Model, 457	2.50	2.50
	Pleasant Hill, 462	2.50	2.50
	Upper Alton, 466	2.50	2.50
	Raymond, 476	5.00	5.00
	Olympia, 477	10.00	10.00
	1st Swedish, 479	10.00	10.00
	Helvetia, 480	5.00	5.00
	C. H. Russum, 483	2.00	

	Name and No. of Lodge.	Orphans' Home.	Folks' Home.
1917.			
	Leo Wilhelm, 731	\$.25	.25
	Martin Crosson, 731	.25	.25
	Earl Parks, 731	.25	.25
	Olive Leaf, 738	5.00	5.00
	DeLand, 740	5.00	5.00
	Sims, 745	5.00	5.00
	South Chicago, 751	5.00	5.00
	Hettick, 753	2.50	2.50
	Kinderhook, 757	5.00	5.00
	G. W. Hess, 757	1.00	
	Momence, 771	5.00	5.00
	Waukegan, 793	10.00	10.00
	Three Links, 812	25.00	25.00
	St. Anne, 820	5.00	5.00
	Souvenir, 831	10.00	10.00
	Boone, 832	10.00	10.00
	Mill Shoals, 835	10.00	10.00
	Gallatin, 838	5.00	5.00
	Peotone, 841	5.00	5.00
	Bowen, 864	5.00	5.00
	Ben Hur, 870	36.64	36.63
	Avondale, 871	5.00	5.00
	Steeleville, 873	5.00	5.00
	White City, 878	20.00	20.00
	Sampson, 885	5.00	5.00
	A. T. Sherman, 892	5.00	5.00
	Golden Star, 903	5.00	5.00
	Timber, 906	10.00	10.00
	Hiram Richmond, 906	1.00	1.00
	John Preston, 906	1.00	1.00
	Golden Deeds, 909	5.00	5.00
	Illioopolis, 912	2.50	2.50
	Industry, 913	5.00	5.00
	Stockland, 914	5.00	5.00
	Carnation, 933	30.00	30.00
	Rapatee, 918	2.50	2.50
	Lerna, 937	3.70	3.70
	Midway, 942	5.00	5.00
	Pilgrim, 944	2.50	2.50
	Sesser, 946	5.00	
	G. Carducci, 948	5.00	5.00
	Beechwood, 949	2.50	2.50
	Thos. McDonald, 952	5.00	5.00
	Annapolis, 953	2.50	2.50
	Libertyville, 956	5.00	5.00
	Meredosia, 962	5.00	5.00
	Clyde McAllister, 962	.50	.50
	Bridge City, 963	5.00	5.00
	Augusta, 965	2.50	2.50
	Tilden, 969	3.00	2.00
	Big Neck, 970	2.50	2.50
	East Berlin, 972	5.00	5.00
	Macoupin Valley, 976	5.00	5.00
	Ashton, 977	3.00	3.00
	West Sharon, 980	2.00	2.00
	Mulkeytown, 986	2.50	2.50
	John Corson Smith, 990	5.00	5.00
	Wesley Sargent, 996	1.00	1.00
	Wheaton, 1003	5.00	5.00
	Hyperion, 1006	5.00	5.00
	South Side, 1007	5.00	5.00
	Mississippi Valley, 1009	6.00	4.00
	Fillmore, 1011	5.00	5.00
	Harvard, 1013	5.00	5.00
	G. B. Adams, 1013	.50	.50
	W. H. Dilley, 1013	.50	.50

1917.	Name and No. of Lodge.	Old		1917.	Name and No. of Lodge.	Old	
		Orphans' Home.	Folks' Home.			Orphans' Home.	Folks' Home.
	Southwestern, 484..	5.00	5.00		Universal Peace,		
	Members Southwestern, 484	7.50	7.50		1035	7.50	7.50
	Manufacturers, 485	12.50	12.50		Marion, 1036	10.00	10.00
	South Park, 488... ..	6.00	6.00		R. T. Daniels, 1038..	10.00	10.00
	Morning Star, 489. ..	2.50	2.50	1918			
	Round Hill, 494	2.50	2.50	Jan. 10	Port Byron, 624.....	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.50
	Eberle, 497	5.00	5.00		Venice, 719.....	5.00	5.00
	H. Kleshowster, 1013 ..	.25	.25	Feb. 25	Allemania, 411.....	6.25	6.25
	John Orr, 1013.....	.25	.25	Apr. 28	M. P. Berry, G. T..	.16	.59
	Sunshine fund, 1013 ..	1.50	1.50		M. P. Berry, repayment J. O. Doll		
	Elburn, 1014	2.50	2.50		real estate loan..		7,000.00
	Homewood, 1026	5.00	5.00	Jan. 16	M. P. Berry, repayment Clement		
	Oak Park, 1030	3.55	3.00		loan		7,000.00
	Tri City, 1031.....	5.00	5.00				8,994.84
	Total Orphans' Home.....						8,259.26
	Total Old Folks' Home.....						

ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT.

May 1, 1918, to November 1, 1918.

		Orphans' Home.	Old Folks' Home.
1918			
July 5	Karel Havlicek, 1037.....	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00
31	Allemania, 411	6.25	6.25
Aug. 1	M. P. Berry, Grand Treas., repayment U. S. bonds..	1,240.00	
Oct. 18	Old Folks' Home Trustees' check.....		186.00
21	Advance Rebekah, 405.....	5.00	5.00
	Perseverance Rebekah, 95.....	2.50	2.50
	Victory Rebekah, 482.....	2.50	2.50
	Winterrowd Rebekah, 361.....	1.00	1.00
	Totals	\$ 1,282.25	\$ 228.25

CASE APPEALED TO GRAND LODGE.

The following case was on Dec. 18, 1917, appealed to the Grand Lodge:

CASE NO. 484.

Price Johnson
vs.
Russellville Lodge No. 911,
I. O. O. F.

Before Committee on Judiciary
and Appeals, November Session, 1917.

Opinion by Brother John W. Fling, Jr., No. 244.

This is an appeal by Brother Price Johnson from the action and decision of Russellville Lodge No. 911, in its refusal to pay him sick benefits.

On July 28, 1917, Brother Price Johnson, who was a member in good standing of said Russellville Lodge No. 911, presented a written claim in said Lodge, claiming sick benefits from January 20, 1917, to

April 17, 1917, a period of twelve weeks, at \$4.00 per week, or for a sum of \$48.00. The records show that the Lodge referred said claim to the Visiting Committee, and instructed said committee to "act at once"; that the report of the committee was made as ordered, in which it reported that they found "nothing due Brother Price Johnson; that the Lodge approved said report; that at said meeting Brother Johnson prayed an appeal; Brother R. C. Allen was appointed commissioner. The records also show that on September 1, 1917, Brother Price Johnson offered to compromise with the Lodge and accept \$36.00. On motion, duly made and seconded, that he be allowed \$36.00, the Lodge voted two years and seven days. Brother Johnson again prayed and was granted an appeal, and Brother R. C. Allen was re-appointed as commissioner.

The records further disclose that the Lodge, on January 20, 1917, allowed and paid Brother Johnson for three weeks benefits, or from December 29, 1916, to January 20, 1917; that on April 21, 1917, Brother Johnson asked for two weeks benefits, and was allowed and paid one week benefit; that at said meeting the "Sick Committee ordered him removed from any further claims for benefits."

Evidence was taken by the commissioner at various dates. From the evidence of Dr. C. J. Sprinkell, a member of said Lodge (said evidence being taken September 11, 1917), it appears that Brother Johnson had been suffering from a physical breakdown from January 20, 1917, to "the present time" (September 11, 1917); that he had issued two certificates, the first covering the time between December 29, 1916, to January 20, 1917, and the second one from January 20, 1917, to February 3, 1917. Brother Price Johnson testifies that on January 20, 1917, he drew and was paid \$12.00 by the Lodge for three weeks benefits, and that he presented a certificate for benefits from January 20, 1917, to February 3, 1917. On cross-examination he was asked one question, as follows:

Q. Did you ever, during these Dr. certificates, make any application or any report to the Visiting Committee according to Section 1 of Article 3 of the By-Laws?

A. No.

All the other material evidence in the case touches upon the questions of the residence of Brother Price Johnson being within one block of the Lodge room (Lodge No. 911), and also the fact that he did not make a report of his illness to the Visiting Committee, or Lodge members, in accordance with Section 1, Article 3, of the By-Laws of Lodge No. 911, which said Section 1 of Article 3 is as follows:

Section 1. Any Brother becoming sick shall send notice thereof, as soon as may be, to some member of the Visiting Committee. No Brother living within five miles of the Lodge room shall be entitled to benefits whose case has not been reported to the Visiting Committee,

unless it shall appear that he used due diligence to report himself to them; and no benefits shall be allowed for the first week's sickness after such notice being sent to the committee."

According to the record, the Lodge defends its action in refusing to pay any more benefits to Brother Johnson on the ground that he violated said Section 1 of Article 3 of its By-Laws, and not on the ground that he was not, as a matter of fact, too ill to pursue his usual vocation from December 29, 1916, to April 17, 1917.

It is clear from the record before us that Brother Johnson did not comply with Section 1 of Article 3 of the Lodge By-Laws as above set forth. The question on this record is: Is Brother Johnson entitled to benefits, notwithstanding his failure to so notify said Lodge or its Visiting Committee?

It will be observed that three weeks benefits, or \$12.00, was paid to Brother Johnson without the notice as required by said By-Law; in other words, the Lodge, by such payments, waived the requirements of said notice in its By-Laws. Section 2157, Merrill's Code, 1906, quoting as authority, S. J. 12093, 12149.

The record also shows that Brother Johnson was removed from the sick list by said Lodge without notice. No hearing was had in conformity to the law of our Order. A Brother, once on the sick list, cannot be taken therefrom without notice and investigation. Merrill's Code, 1906, Sec. 2143, quoting S. J. 9329, 9442, 9683, 9773, 9790, Busbee's Digest, Section 136, page 48.

In a recent opinion, by this committee, in the case of Henry Blatt vs. Harmonize Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F., it was said:

"The laws of the Order demand that no name shall be removed from the sick list without notice and full investigation."

The Lodge, by its action in allowing benefits of \$12.00 to Brother Johnson, waived the notice required by Section 1, Article 3, of its By-Laws, and having once recognized his claim to benefits, and having paid him therefor, has waived the strict compliance with said By-Law. The Lodge also erred in sustaining its Visiting Committee in taking Brother Johnson off the sick list without notice and investigation as required by the law of the Order. The record, by the greater weight of evidence, supports the claim of Brother Price Johnson for \$18.00, or twelve weeks' benefits, from January 20, 1917, to April 17, 1917, as claimed by him.

It is the opinion of this committee that the evidence, and law applicable thereto, supports the claim of Brother Price Johnson to \$18.00 sick benefits. The appeal of Brother Johnson is, therefore, sus-

tained, and Russellville Lodge No. 911, I. O. O. F., is hereby ordered and directed to pay to Brother Price Johnson the said sum of \$48.00.

JOHN W. FLING, JR.,
WARREN C. DARNALL,
CHESTER M. TURNER,
OWEN SCOTT,
W. E. P. ANDERSON,

Committee.

Appeal dismissed. Decision affirmed.

JUDICIARY AND APPEALS COMMITTEE

I. O. O. F.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIRST SESSION—FEB., 1918

Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges	}	Before Committee on Judiciary and Appeals, February Ses- sion, 1918.
I. O. O. F.		
By-Laws and Amendments.		

Opinion by Brother Owen Scott, of No. 186.

SUBORDINATE LODGES.

Amendments. Approved: 48, 124, 139, 288, 289, 297, 236, 407, 414,
452, 453, 454, 488, 531, 545, 579, 598, 822, 934, 1013, 1015.

Amendment. Approved as corrected: 62, 513, 679, 1009.

Amendment. Not approved: 30, 239.

Full Code. Approved: 6, 485, 583.

Full Code. Approved as corrected: 3, 51, 841.

REBEKAH LODGES.

Amendments. Approved: Nos. 41, 369, 468, 501, 625, 687, 789, 803.

Full Code. Approved: No. 808.

Full Code. Approved as corrected: Nos. 428, 434, 560.

OWEN SCOTT,
CHESTER M. TURNER,
WARREN C. DARNALL,
W. E. P. ANDERSON.

Committee on Judiciary and Appeals

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SECOND SESSION—MAY, 1918

CASE NO. 485.

Lycurgus Black,
vs. } Before Committee on Judiciary
Principle Lodge No. 76, I. O. O. F. } and Appeals, May Session, 1918.

Case continued to August session.

Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges, } Before Committee on Judiciary
I. O. O. F. } and Appeals, May Session, 1918.
By-Law Amendments. }

Opinion by Bro. Owen Scott, of No. 186.

SUBORDINATE LODGES.

Amendments. Approved: 2, 7, 10, 72, 94, 108, 121, 223, 263, 270, 311, 343, 362, 383, 413, 434, 436, 450, 453, 513, 521, 532, 588, 664, 666, 677, 699, 764, 794, 868, 909.

Amendments. Approved as corrected: 173, 260, 279, 299, 357, 902.

Full Code. Approved: 19, 24, 174, 421, 447, 644, 711, 740, 833.

Full Code. Approved as corrected: 65, 186, 243, 262, 347, 558, 621, 734, 1003, 1036.

REBEKAH LODGES.

Amendments. Approved: 79, 152, 170, 223, 324, 383, 605.

Full Code. Approved: 809.

Full Code. Approved as corrected: 55, 812.

OWEN SCOTT,
WARREN C. DARNALL,
JOHN W. FLING, JR.,
W. E. P. ANDERSON,

Committee on Judiciary and Appeals.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE THIRD SESSION—AUGUST, 1918

CASE NO. 485.

Lycurgus Black } Before Committee on Judiciary
vs. } and Appeals, August Session,
Principle Lodge No. 76, I. O. O. F. } 1918.

Appeal was dismissed by Paul F. Grote, attorney for Bro. Lycurgus Black.

CASE NO. 487.

J. W. Bowen, et al.,	}	Before Committee on Judiciary and Appeals, August Session, 1918.
vs.		
Urania Lodge No. 243, I. O. O. F.		

Case assigned to Bro. W. E. P. Anderson, of Carlinville, to be prepared for the November, 1918, session of the Committee.

Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges,	}	Before Committee on Judiciary and Appeals, August Session, 1918.
I. O. O. F.		
By-Laws and Amendments.		

Opinion by Bro. Owen Scott, of No. 186.

SUBORDINATE LODGES.

Amendments. Approved. Numbers 30, 88, 145, 187, 220, 239, 274, 277, 281, 333, 386, 498, 532, 753, 793, 948.

Amendments. Approved as corrected. Numbers 95, 205, 408, 800, 870.

REBEKAH LODGES.

Amendments. Approved. Numbers 6, 54, 234, 274, 291, 371, 393, 596, 789.

Code. Approved. Number 145.

Code. Approved as corrected. Number 815.

JOHN W. FLING, JR.,
OWEN SCOTT,
WARREN C. DARNALL,
ALFRED A. NORTON,
W. E. P. ANDERSON,
Committee.

MEMBERS IN THE SERVICE.

Much effort has been expended to secure a complete record of our members in the Military and Naval Services.

Reasonable success has been attained. Many lodges have found it almost impossible to secure complete records. The number in the service is constantly changing. From reports received at the Grand Secretary's office and estimates, it would appear that we have approximately 8,000 Brothers in the service.

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS' RELIEF FUND.

The last session of the Grand Lodge provided for a fund of Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000) as a Soldiers and Sailors' Relief Fund.

Receipts.

Transferred from Grand Lodge Special Relief Fund.....	\$ 5,000.00
Appropriation	40,000.00
Donations	660.31

Total \$45,660.31

Warrants have been drawn against this fund as follows, viz.:

Relief and Camp Work.....	\$ 3,511.38
U. S. Liberty Bonds.....	30,000.00
Cash on hand.....	12,148.93

Total \$45,660.31

CHICAGO HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

At the 1917 session the Grand Secretary was instructed to furnish the Chicago Historical Society with a complete set of Grand Lodge Journals suitably bound, etc.

It was impossible to carry out these instructions for the reason that a large number of Journals are out of print. Only a small stock of other years is on hand in the Secretary's office. If further instructed I will forward such Journals as can be spared.

GRAND LODGE CONSTITUTION AMENDED.

At the Grand Lodge session in 1917 the following amendment to the Grand Lodge Constitution was adopted:

Standing Committees.

Amend Grand Lodge Constitution, Art. 6, Section 1, to read as follows, viz.:

Article 6.

STANDING COMMITTEES—Section 1. The Grand Master, at each annual session, shall, within twenty days after his installation as such, appoint the following committees to serve one year, viz.: (1) On Credentials, three members; (2) On State of the Order, fifteen members; (3) On Legislation, fifteen members; (4) On Finance, three members; (5) On Rebekah Degree, ten members; (6) On Mileage and Per Diem,

fifteen members (said committee may appoint a clerk, who shall receive the compensation to which a Representative is entitled); (7) On Railroads, three members; (8) On Printing, three members. In the Order of Business, the reports of these Committees shall be called, etc."

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

This amendment was approved by Grand Sire Frank C. Goudy on Dec. 31, 1917, which action was ratified by the Sovereign Grand Lodge held in St. Louis, Sept. 16-21, 1918.

GRAND MASTER H. M. BLOOD.

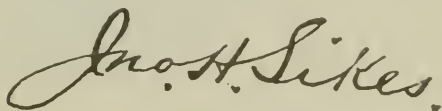
It is doubtful if any Brother ever accepted the exalted position of Grand Master with a more thorough comprehension of its duties and responsibilities than did our present Grand Master, H. M. Blood. He knows Odd Fellowship from a practical as well as a theoretical standpoint. Being a thorough Odd Fellow himself, with ability and energy, his administration could not have been a failure. He has made a record of which he and the Order can well be proud.

CONCLUSION.

I extend most sincere thanks to my associate Grand Officers and co-workers in all departments, and particularly to General Joseph Fairhall, Department Commander of the Patriarchs Militant; Walter J. North, Grand Patriarch; Grand Scribe Sam J. Baker; President of the Rebekah Assembly, Sister Irene W. Cooper, and Sister Mae E. Crowell, Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly.

To the membership throughout the state I am under renewed obligations for their loyalty and assistance rendered during the past year.

Fraternally yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jno. H. Sikes." The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed title "Grand Secretary."

Grand Secretary.

GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT

M. P. Berry, Grand Treasurer, in Account with the Grand Lodge of
Illinois, I. O. O. F.

GENERAL FUND.

Cr.

1917.					
Nov. 1	By	balance in this fund as per last report.....	\$	43,645.21	
1918.					
Jan. 16	By	cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary.....	40,000.00		
Feb. 1	By	cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary.....	20,000.00		
12	By	cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary.....	436.80		
18	By	cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary.....	10,000.00		
May 1	By	cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary.....	16,634.85		
July 10	By	cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary.....	20,000.00		
Nov. 1	By	cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary.....	14,128.10		
Total			\$	164,844.96	

Dr.

To orders paid, issued by the Grand Master and countersigned by the Grand Secretary, as follows:

No.					
4076	A. Otis Arnold, official visits.....	\$	17.32		
4077	Fred B. Merrills, official visits.....		10.73		
4078	L. M. Kagy, official visits.....		3.25		
4079	Geo. F. Koester, Chairman, expenses Finance Committee.....		205.00		
4080	John B. Goodwin, S. G. L. supplies.....		1,128.00		
4159	Dr. C. A. Robbins, official visits.....		60.15		
4160	P. C. Elsey, weak lodge visiting.....		19.18		
4161	M. P. Berry, mileage and per diem.....		15,000.00		
4162	Chester M. Turner, J. & A. committee, November 17.....		77.35		
4163	A. C. Low, G. L. sundries.....		30.00		
4164	H. J. Reiziger, minute clerk, G. L.....		40.60		
4165	Owen Scott, proof reader, G. L.....		25.00		
4166	Hazel Hobbs, G. L. stenographer.....		17.50		
4167	Sigel Hubbard, assisting Grand Guardian.....		10.00		
4168	M. Blumle, custodian G. L.....		15.00		
4169	Chas. L. Taylor, messenger to G. M.....		15.00		
4170	C. L. Hawkins, assisting Grand Guardian 1917 session.....		10.00		
4171	I. O. Arnold, same.....		10.00		
4172	H. B. Carley, messenger to Grand Secretary, 1917 session.....		15.00		
4173	Sven Windrow, Official Reporter, 1917 session.....		15.00		
4174	E. B. Hackelman, assisting Grand Guardian, 1917 session.....		10.00		
4175	J. Twery, same		10.00		
4176	B. D. Scarborough, same.....		10.00		
4177	Edw. Priestman, same.....		10.00		
4178	K. Doran, same.....		10.00		
4179	J. H. Byers, same.....		10.00		
4180	Fred A. Rice, assisting Credentials Committee.....		20.00		
4181	Geo. F. Koester, Charman Expense Committee Finance, 1917 session.....		50.00		
4182	Jas. O'Neil, janitor State House, G. L.....		50.00		
4183	Nelson Foley, chairman M. & P. Committee.....		15.00		
4184	Lottie D. Scherrer, special deputy.....		3.00		
4185	L'hillips Bros., G. L. printing.....		1,114.17		
4186	Nelson Foley, official visit.....		14.25		
4187	H. M. Blood, G. M., salary November, 1917.....		100.00		
4188	Same, clerk and stenographer, November, 1917.....		100.00		
4189	Same, office expenses, November, 1917.....		50.00		
4190	John H Sikes, Grand Secretary's salary.....		208.33		
4191	Same, clerk and stenographer.....		175.00		
4192	Same, office expenses		229.60		
4195	L. M. Kagy, official visit.....		8.70		



MELVIN P. BERRY,
Grand Treasurer,
Carthage.

4299	Fred B. Merrills, official visit to Chicago.....	\$ 33.90
4300	John B. Goodwin, Grand Sec'y, S. G. L., supplies.....	358.00
4301	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visit.....	85.69
4302	John R. Goodwin, G. S., S. G. L. tax, 1918.....	150.00
4303	C. A. Robbins, official visit, Fairbury.....	11.69
4306	John H. Sikes, G. S., official visit.....	48.25
4307	John B. Goodwin, G. S., S. G. L. supplies.....	100.00
4308	O. F. Jordan, official visits.....	44.27
4309	C. M. Hunt, same.....	7.75
4311	P. C. Elsey, Special Deputy.....	13.80
4312	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visits.....	35.08
4313	I. C. Abney, special deputy.....	4.14
4314	Owen Scott, schools of instruction.....	59.61
4315	H. M. Blood, G. M., salary.....	100.00
4316	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	100.00
4317	Same, office expenses.....	50.00
4318	John H. Sikes, G. S., salary.....	208.33
4319	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	175.00
4320	Same, office expenses.....	366.82
4323	John B. Goodwin, G. S., S. G. L., supplies.....	576.00
4321	Owen Scott, expense J. & A. Committee on By-Laws.....	15.50
4373	John H. Sikes, G. S., official visit to Stronghurst and Snowbound.....	25.42
4430	P. C. Elsey, school of instruction Rockport, Ill.....	5.00
4431	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visit to Metropolis, Springfield, Lincoln, Ottawa and Rockford.....	38.19
4432	Arthur Mason, official visits to Marion.....	11.44
4433	H. M. Blood, G. M., salary.....	100.00
4434	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	100.00
4435	Same, office expense.....	50.00
4436	John H. Sikes, salary G. S.....	208.33
4437	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	175.00
4438	Same, office expense.....	119.00
4441	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visit Rantoul, Marion and Clinton.....	42.76
4495	Same, official visit to Mattoon and Findlay.....	13.52
4496	John H. Sikes, G. S., official visits Clinton, Cuba and McLeansboro.....	32.29
4497	Owen Scott, official visit, Grand Instructor.....	63.52
4498	John W. Birney, official visit Cuba.....	3.99
4542	John B. Goodwin, S. G. L. supplies.....	397.50
4543	Owen Scott, editing G. L. Journal, 1917 session.....	200.00
4544	Same, Special Deputy revising code, 1918.....	50.00
4515	W. E. P. Anderson, chairman, expenses J. & A. Committee, February, 1918 session.....	60.65
4546	Fidelity & Deposit Co. of Maryland, bonds, G. Tr. & G. S.....	475.00
4547	D. H. Chapman, Chairman, expenses Printing Committee, February, 1918 session.....	24.40
4518	Phillips Bros., printing G. L. Journal, Daily Journals, stationery, circulars, etc.....	3,155.88
4550	H. M. Blood, G. M., salary.....	100.00
4551	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	100.00
4553	John H. Sikes, G. S., salary.....	208.33
4554	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	175.00
4555	Same, office expense.....	431.25
4549	John B. Goodwin, G. S., S. G. L., supplies.....	828.00
4552	H. M. Blood, G. M., office expense.....	50.00
4558	Same, official visits St. Charles, Lexington, Joliet, (H. M. B. J. E. E. H. R.).....	30.85
4563	Owen Scott, school of instruction.....	43.74
4504	E. R. Saylor, Special Deputy, Murphysboro.....	15.76
4602	John H. Sikes, G. S., official visit Lexington, E. Moline, Rockford.....	29.07
4605	H. M. Blood, official visit to Peoria.....	7.75
4604	O. F. Jordan, official visit, Decatur.....	3.45
4605	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visit to Sterling and Little York.....	20.28
4607	John B. Goodwin, G. S., S. G. L. supplies.....	145.00
4608	L. M. Kagy, official visit to Decatur.....	4.23
4609	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visit Sycamore, Bowen, Decatur.....	34.78
4670	Henry Rathbone, official visit Decatur.....	10.00
4671	H. M. Blood, salary.....	100.00
4672	Same, stenographer and clerk.....	100.00
4673	Same, office expense.....	50.00
4674	John H. Sikes, G. S., salary.....	208.33
4675	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	175.00
4676	Same, office expense.....	692.41
4679	John H. Sikes, official visits, Decatur and Belleville.....	14.70
4680	W. A. Medaris, Special Deputy, closing Whiteheath Lodge No. 968.....	3.63

4081	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visit to Belleville.....	\$ 22.50
4082	J. J. Crowder, official visit to Decatur.....	4.25
4083	J. A. Colegrove, Special Deputy, Waukegan.....	3.75
4084	H. M. Blood, official visit to Blue Island.....	1.25
4085	Owen Scott, J. N. A. Committee, expense, By-Laws, etc., Jan. 1 to April 1, 1918.....	15.75
4086	Same, schools of instruction, Palmyra, Peoria and Decatur.....	45.82
4087	Albert Atwood, weak lodge visiting, Leaf River No. 106.....	12.12
4097	C. D. Baughman, Special Deputy to Walnut Grove Lodge No. 950.....	4.10
4798	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visit Home, Mattoon.....	12.15
4802	John B. Goodwin, G. S., S. G. L., supplies.....	925.00
4803	H. M. Blood, G. M., salary.....	100.00
4804	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	100.00
4805	Same, office expense.....	50.00
4806	John H. Sikes, G. S., salary.....	208.35
4807	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	175.00
4808	Same, office expense.....	251.83
4811	Honorable Veteran Jewel Account, 18 Honorable Veteran Jewels presented by Grand Lodge.....	360.00
4812	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visits Galesburg, Green Valley.....	27.25
4801	John B. Goodwin, G. S., S. G. L., supplies.....	68.50
4814	John H. Sikes, G. S., official visit Toulon and Chicago.....	18.67
4815	Owen Scott, Special Deputy, Decatur Lodge No. 411.....	9.90
4823	H. M. Blood, official visit to Toulon.....	14.00
4824	C. M. Hunt, school of instruction, Howard, Ill.....	12.72
4825	E. F. Drewes, weak lodge visitation, Aurora No. 567.....	9.00
4826	A. A. Ludwig, Special Deputy for Leaf River Lodge No. 167.....	7.16
4827	H. M. Blood, official visit Martinsville and Madison, etc.....	29.98
4922	John W. Fling, Chairman J. & A. Committee, expense May session, 1918.....	59.15
4933	H. M. Blood, G. M., Chairman, expense Conference Committee Grand Officers.....	61.05
4958	H. M. Blood, salary.....	100.00
4959	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	100.00
4960	Same, office expense.....	50.00
4961	John H. Sikes, G. S., salary.....	208.33
4962	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	175.00
4963	Same, office expense.....	174.64
4972	H. M. Blood, official visits, Canton and G. L. of Wisconsin.....	26.50
5011	Geo. F. Koester, expense Finance Committee, Rockford, Springfield and Carthage.....	166.16
5064	H. M. Blood, official visits Lincoln and Sycamore.....	18.02
5065	Owen Scott, expense J. & A. Committee, acting on By-Laws, etc.....	9.00
5066	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visits Bloomington and Springfield.....	20.63
5067	Same, salary.....	100.00
5068	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	100.00
5069	Same, office expense.....	50.00
5070	John H. Sikes, G. S., salary.....	208.33
5071	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	175.00
5072	Same, office expense.....	196.04
5075	John B. Goodwin, G. S., S. G. L., supplies.....	424.00
5076	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visit Quincy.....	28.75
5077	Owen Scott, expense J. & A. Committee, By-Laws, April 1 and July 1, 1918.....	16.25
5192	Fred B. Merrills, P. G. M., legal services Prager case.....	75.00
5191	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visit to Sandwich, Joliet and Ottawa.....	18.45
5195	C. M. Hunt, Special Deputy to Cicero, postage, etc.....	9.35
5196	H. M. Blood, salary.....	100.00
5197	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	100.00
5198	Same, office expense.....	50.00
5199	John H. Sikes, G. S., salary.....	208.33
5200	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	175.00
5201	Same, office expense.....	142.80
5205	John B. Goodwin, G. S., S. G. L., supplies.....	225.00
5206	C. M. Hunt, school of instruction, expenses to Aurora.....	2.25
5207	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visit to Mattoon.....	14.90
5212	Owen Scott, school of instruction.....	25.23
5211	J. M. Markee, Special Deputy for Stones Prairie Lodge No. 750.....	7.25
5210	Arthur Mason, weak lodge account, assisting Henning Lodge No. 997.....	56.66
5211	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visit to Peru, Ill.....	10.25
5212	John T. Fling, Jr., Chairman, expenses J. & A. Committee, August session.....	\$5.30
5313	D. H. Chapman, Chairman, expense Printing Committee, August, 1918.....	66.78

5314	H. M. Blood, Chairman, expense Special Committee Grand Officers, August	\$ 61.96
5315	Phillips Bros., Grand Lodge printing circulars, etc.....	892.95
5317	H. M. Blood, G. M., salary.....	100.00
5318	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	100.00
5319	Same, office expense	50.00
5320	John H. Sikes, G. S., salary.....	208.33
5321	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	175.00
5322	Same, office expense	207.70
5325	L. M. Kagy, official visit to G. M., office.....	13.00
5326	Arthur Mason, weak lodge account assisting Henning Lodge No. 907	18.24
5328	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visit to Rockford and Freeport.....	16.67
5373	Same, official visit to Moline and Waukegan.....	21.54
5374	L. M. Kagy, official visit to Mill Shoals.....	2.75
5427	Same, official visit to Camp Grant.....	16.25
5428	John H. Sikes, G. S., expense attending S. G. L. session, St. Louis, Mo.	50.00
5451	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visit to St. Louis.....	39.35
5452	John B. Goodwin, G. S., S. G. L., supplies.....	825.00
5453	H. M. Blood, G. M., school of instruction, Danville.....	18.25
5455	Same, salary	100.00
5456	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	100.00
5457	Same, office expense	50.00
5458	John H. Sikes, G. S., salary.....	208.33
5459	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	175.00
5460	Same, office expense	82.84
5463	Owen Scott, school of instruction, Chicago, Danville, and Monticello ..	56.24
5465	C. M. Hunt, school of instruction.....	11.45
5513	H. M. Blood, G. M., official visit Lincoln.....	12.75
5516	Owen Scott, expense of J. & A. Committee acting on By-Laws, etc.	16.50
5587	M. P. Berry, G. T., salary.....	100.00
5589	John B. Goodman, G. S., P. G. M. jewel.....	28.00
5590	Sam J. Baker, Special Deputy to Russellville Lodge No. 911.....	2.22
5591	L. M. Kagy, official visit Mattoon, Lincoln and Chicago.....	17.65
5592	H. M. Blood, salary	100.00
5593	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	100.00
5594	Same, office expense	50.00
5595	John H. Sikes, G. S., salary.....	208.33
5596	Same, clerk and stenographer.....	175.00
5597	Same, office expense	128.55
5601	P. G. M. Jewel Account, Jewel presented to G. M.....	28.00
5602	Hon. Veteran Jewel Account, 14 Hon. Jewels presented to G. L. To Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief Fund.....	20,000.00
	Appropriation to Home Tax Fund.....	50,681.50
	To Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief Fund.....	20,000.00
	To balance in this fund.....	32,577.42
Total ..		\$ 164,844.98

AGED ODD FELLOWS' FUND.

Cr.

1917.		
Nov.	1	By balance as per last report.....\$ 2,232.50
1918.		
May	1	By cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary..... 103.81
Nov.	1	By cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary..... 52.49
Total ..		\$ 2,388.89

Dr.

1918.		
Nov.	1	To balance in this fund.....\$ 2,388.89
Total ..		\$ 2,388.89

ORPHANS' HOME EXCURSION FUND.

Cr.

1917.		
Nov.	1	By balance as per last report.....\$ 254.88
Total ..		\$ 254.88

1918.				
Nov.	1	To balance in this fund.....	\$	254.88
		Total ..	\$	254.88

SPECIAL RELIEF FUND.

Cr.

1917.				
Nov.	1	By balance as per last report.....	\$	5,939.64
1918.				
Feb.	18	By cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary.....		2,000.00
May	1	By cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary.....		1,012.61
Nov.	1	By cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary.....		25.00
		Total ..	\$	8,977.25

Dr.

To orders paid as follows:

1917.				
Oct.	26	No. 4072, Mrs. Chas. Anderson, special relief, October.....	\$	5.00
Nov.	28	No. 4193, W. I. Ross, special relief, November.....		10.00
Nov.	28	No. 4194, Mrs. Chas. Anderson, special relief, November.....		7.50
Dec.	18	No. 4304, Rockford I. O. O. F. League, donation in cancellation of lease		100.00
Dec.	18	No. 4305, J. J. McKinnon, G. S., special relief, Halifax disaster		100.00
Dec.	21	No. 4310, Rockford I. O. O. F. League, donation to pay bills contracted		73.90
Dec.	29	No. 4321, W. I. Ross, special relief, December.....		10.00
Dec.	29	No. 4322, Mrs. Chas. Anderson, special relief, December.....		7.50
Dec.	1	By transfer to Illinois I. O. O. F. Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief Fund		5,000.00
1918.				
Jan.	14	No. 4372, A. A. Sharp, special relief.....		25.00
Jan.	30	No. 4439, W. I. Ross, special relief, January.....		10.00
Jan.	30	No. 4440, Mrs. Chas. Anderson, special relief, January.....		7.50
Feb.	14	No. 4541, W. S. Rogers, P. G. M., special relief Halifax disaster		1,500.00
Feb.	27	No. 4556, W. I. Ross, special relief, February.....		10.00
Feb.	27	No. 4557, Mrs. Chas. Anderson, special relief, February.....		7.50
Mar.	29	No. 4677, W. I. Ross, special relief, March.....		10.00
Mar.	29	No. 4678, Mrs. Chas. Anderson, special relief, March.....		7.50
Apr.	29	No. 4809, W. I. Ross, special relief, April.....		10.00
Apr.	29	No. 4810, Mrs. Chas. Anderson, special relief, April.....		7.50
April	29	No. 4964, W. I. Ross, special relief, May.....		10.00
May	29	No. 4965, Mrs. Chas. Anderson, special relief, May.....		7.50
June	4	No. 4967, H. M. Blood, G. M., presentation to Orphans' Home graduation class, 1918		150.00
June	25	No. 5073, W. I. Ross, special relief, June.....		10.00
June	25	No. 5074, Mrs. Chas. Anderson, special relief, June.....		7.50
July	30	No. 5202, W. I. Ross, special relief, July.....		10.00
July	30	No. 5203, Mrs. Chas. Anderson, special relief, July.....		7.50
Aug.	30	No. 5323, W. I. Ross, special relief, August.....		10.00
Aug.	30	No. 5324 Mrs. Chas. Anderson, special relief, August.....		7.50
Sept.	13	No. 5380, Springfield Open Air Colony, special relief, Eva Sands (former Orphans' Home girl), Sept. 3 to 17, 1918....		34.00
Sept.	27	No. 5454, Same as above, Sept. 17 to Oct. 1.....		35.00
Sept.	27	No. 5461, W. I. Ross, special relief, September.....		10.00
Sept.	27	No. 5462, Mrs. Chas. Anderson, special relief, September.....		7.50
Oct.	9	No. 5512, Springfield Open Air Colony, special relief Eva Sands (former Orphans' Home girl) Oct. 1 to 15, 1918.....		34.00
Oct.	23	No. 5588, Same as above, Oct. 15 to 29, 1918.....		34.00
Oct.	28	No. 5598, W. I. Ross, special relief, October.....		10.00
Nov.	1	To balance in this fund.....		1,053.85
		Total ..	\$	8,977.25

The following orders on this Fund have been issued, but have not been presented for payment:

No. 5599, Mrs. Chas. Anderson.....	\$	7.50
No. 5600 Great Lakes I. O. O. F. Club.....		100.00

OLD FOLKS' HOME TRUST FUND.

Cr.

1917.				
Nov.	1	By balance as per last report.....	\$	4.00
		Total ..		4.00

Dr.

1918.				
Nov.	1	To balance in this fund.....	\$	4.00
		Total ..		4.00

OLD FOLKS' HOME BUILDING FUND.

Cr.

1917.				
Nov.	1	By balance as per last report.....	\$	373.72
		Total ..		373.72

Dr.

1918.				
Oct.	1	To order No. 5346 paid to Chicago Engineers' Supply Co.....	\$	147.10
Nov.	1	To balance in this fund.....		226.62
		Total ..		373.72

ORPHANS' HOME FUND.

Cr.

1917.				
Nov.	1	By balance as per last report.....	\$	5,098.71
1918.				
May	1	By cash received from John H. Sikes, G. S.....		4,523.22
May	1	By transfer from Home Tax Fund, 1/2 1918 appropriation.....		22,000.00
Nov.	1	By cash received from John H. Sikes, G. S.....		6,183.92
Nov.	1	By transfer from Home Tax Fund, 1/2 1918 appropriation.....		22,000.00
		Total ..		59,805.85

Dr.

To orders paid during the month of November, 1917.....	\$	5,614.00
To orders paid during the month of December, 1917.....		5,946.58
To orders paid during the month of January, 1918.....		5,829.92
To orders paid during the month of February, 1918.....		4,850.12
To orders paid during the month of March, 1918.....		4,118.89
To orders paid during the month of April, 1918.....		3,509.87
To orders paid during the month of May, 1918.....		5,151.17
To orders paid during the month of June, 1918.....		3,867.96
To orders paid during the month of July, 1918.....		3,211.53
To orders paid during the month of August, 1918.....		3,587.25
To orders paid during the month of September, 1918.....		3,542.56
To orders paid during the month of October, 1918.....		4,943.05
To balance in this fund.....		5,632.84

Total .. \$ 59,805.85

The following orders on this Fund have been issued but have not been presented for payment:

No. 5507, Mrs. Lottie Sherrer.....	\$	5.20
No. 3311, Wm. Vopel		9.00
No. 3531, Deaconess Hospital		7.90
Total ..		22.10

OLD FOLKS' HOME FUND.

Cr.

1917.				
Nov.	1	By balance as per last report.....	\$	3,079.77
1918.				
May	1	By cash received from John H. Sikes, G. S.....		2,707.41
May	1	By transfer from Home Tax Fund, 1/2 1918 appropriation.....		23,000.00

Nov. 1	By cash received from John H. Sikes, G. S.....	\$ 5,068.58
Nov. 1	By transfer from Home Tax Fund, $\frac{1}{2}$ 1918 appropriation.....	23,000.00

Total\$ 56,875.76

Dr.

To orders paid during the month of November, 1917.....	\$ 1,991.88
To orders paid during the month of December, 1917.....	6,944.81
To orders paid during the month of January, 1918.....	5,158.33
To orders paid during the month of February, 1918.....	4,342.93
To orders paid during the month of March, 1918.....	5,418.22
To orders paid during the month of April, 1918.....	4,248.20
To orders paid during the month of May, 1918.....	3,557.71
To orders paid during the month of June, 1918.....	5,473.82
To orders paid during the month of July, 1918.....	4,227.30
To orders paid during the month of August, 1918.....	4,515.50
To orders paid during the month of September, 1918.....	4,528.89
To orders paid during the month of October, 1918.....	5,809.29
Nov. 1, 1918. To balance in this fund.....	358.88

Total\$ 56,875.76

The following orders on this fund have been issued but have not been presented for payment:

No. 5566	A. J. Mourer	\$ 11.44
No. 2104	McCasker & Albert	31.62

Total\$ 43.06

ORPHANS' HOME ENDOWMENT FUND.

Cash Account.

Cr.

1917.		
Nov. 1	By balance as per last report.....	\$ 464.42
1918.		
Jan. 7	By cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary.....	1,980.93
Jan. 8	By cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary (Hugh Clements loan paid)	7,000.00
Feb. 21	By balance interest on school bonds.....	.16
May 1	By cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary.....	13.75
July 31	By cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary (U. S. Bonds paid)	1,240.00
Nov. 1	By cash received from John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary.....	42.25

Total\$ 10,741.51

Dr.

1918.		
Feb. 1	To order No. 4442, paid to the Hanchett Bond Co., for Summer School District No. 57 Bonds.....	\$ 1,000.00
Mar. 2	To order No. 4559, paid to the Savings Bank of Kewanee for James and Joseph McBride mortgage loan on 80 acres of land in Lee County.....	7,000.00
June 18	To order No. 5063, paid to the Savings Bank of Kewanee for Third Liberty U. S. Bonds.....	1,000.00
Oct. 12	To order No. 5514 paid to the Savings Bank of Kewanee for Fourth Liberty U. S. Bonds.....	1,250.00
Nov 1	To balance in this fund.....	491.51

Total\$ 10,741.51

ORPHANS' HOME ENDOWMENT FUND.

Securities Account.

Cr.

1917.		
Nov. 1	By balance in this fund as per last report.....	\$ 43,040.00
1918.		
Feb. 7	By School District No. 57, Lawrence County School Bonds purchased	1,000.00
Mar. 2	By James and Joseph McBride $5\frac{1}{2}$ per cent loan purchased	7,000.00

June 18	By Third Liberty Loan Bonds purchased.....	\$ 1,000.00
Oct. 12	By Fourth Liberty Loan Bonds purchased.....	1,250.00
Total ...		\$ 53,290.00

Dr.

Nov. 1	To Margaret A. Morse, farm mortgage loan.....	\$ 5,000.00
	To Isabelle and George Hubbell, mortgage loan.....	3,300.00
	To Carl P. Hansen, farm mortgage loan.....	8,000.00
	To Emmett C. Thompson, farm mortgage loan.....	2,000.00
	To Christian C. Blackert, farm mortgage loan.....	7,000.00
	To James and Joseph McBride, farm mortgage loan.....	7,000.00
	To City of Jacksonville, Ill., 4 per cent funding bonds.....	4,000.00
	To City of Peoria Park District, 3½ per cent bonds.....	1,000.00
	To Scott County Drainage and Levee District, 6 per cent bonds	2,000.00
	To Auburn Township, Sangamon County, 5 per cent School	
	bonds	2,500.00
	To District No. 57, Lawrence County, 6 per cent School bonds	1,000.00
	To Third Liberty U. S. 4¼ per cent bonds.....	1,000.00
	To Fourth Liberty U. S. 4¼ per cent bonds.....	1,250.00
Total securities in this fund.....		\$ 45,050.00
Jan. 8	To cash collected on Hugh C. Clements mortgage and remitted	
	to John H. Sikes, G. S.....	\$ 7,000.00
July 31	To cash collected on U. S. bonds and remitted to John H.	
	Sikes, G. S.	1,240.00
Total ..		\$ 53,290.00

ORPHANS' HOME ENDOWMENT FUND.

Interest Account.

Cr.

By interest collected on securities belonging to the Orphans' Home Endowment Fund as follows:

1917.			
Dec. 1	Auburn Township School bonds	\$ 62.50	
19	Isabelle Hubbell farm loan.....		198.00
1918.			
Jan. 8	City of Jacksonville, Ill., bonds.....	80.00	
	United States bonds	9.30	
	City of Peoria, Ill., Park bonds.....	17.50	
	Hugh C. Clements, farm mortgage.....	350.00	
Feb. 6	Emmett C. Thompson, farm mortgage.....	100.00	
12	Carl P. Hansen, farm mortgage.....	440.00	
	C. J. Blackert, farm mortgage.....	350.00	
Mar. 5	Margaret A. Morse, farm mortgage.....	275.00	
Apr. 29	Auburn Township bonds	62.50	
29	United States bonds	18.60	
June 28	Lawrence Co. School District No. 57 bonds.....	30.00	
28	Scott County Drainage and Levee District bonds.....	120.00	
28	Peoria Park District bonds.....	17.50	
28	City of Jacksonville bonds.....	80.00	
July 31	United States bonds	9.30	
Total ..		\$ 2,220.20	

Dr.

1918.			
May 1	Premium paid on Lawrence Co. Summer School District No.		
	57 School bonds	\$ 50.50	
	Accrued interest on same.....		7.30
	Premium paid on James and Joseph McBride farm mortgage,		
	½ per cent for five years.....	175.00	
	Accrued interest on same	148.65	
	C. M. Turner, examining title for same.....	14.50	
	G. A. Anthony, examining land.....	12.50	
Oct. 1	To order No. 5130 to J. J. Crowder, Secretary Orphans' Home		1,811.75
Total ..		\$ 2,220.20	

OLD FOLKS' HOME ENDOWMENT FUND.

Cash Account.

Cr.

1917.			
Nov.	1	By balance as per last report.....	\$ 3,305.79
1918.			
Jan.	7	By cash received from John H. Sikes, G. S.....	1,944.92
Mar.	22	By cash received from John H. Sikes, G. S. (J. O. Doll, mortgage paid)	6,300.00
May	1	By cash received from John H. Sikes, G. S.....	13.75
	1	By transfer from interest account.....	.59
Nov.	1	By cash received from John H. Sikes, G. S.....	228.25
Total			\$ 11,793.30

Dr.

1918.			
Feb.	7	To order No. 4444 paid to The Hanchett Bond Co. for Summer School District No. 57 bonds.....	\$ 3,500.00
Apr.	25	To order No. 4800 paid to The Savings Bank of Kewanee, for Third U. S. Liberty Loan bonds.....	7,550.00
Nov.	1	To balance in this fund.....	743.30
Total			\$ 11,793.30

OLD FOLKS' HOME ENDOWMENT FUND.

Securities Account.

Cr.

1917.			
Nov.	1	By total securities in this fund.....	\$ 42,500.00
1918.			
Feb.	17	By School District No. 57, Lawrence Co., 6 per cent School bonds purchased	3,500.00
Apr.	25	By Third Liberty Loan 4 1/4 per cent bonds purchased.....	7,550.00
Total			\$ 47,250.00

Dr.

Nov.	1	To Emmett C. Thompson, 5 per cent farm loan.....	\$ 2,000.00
	1	To Roy and Amanda Erlson, farm loan.....	1,900.00
	1	To A. C. Sells, farm loan.....	5,500.00
	1	To Frank Ives, et al, farm loan.....	8,000.00
	1	To Ida M. Darnall, farm loan.....	3,100.00
	1	To Henderson Co. Drainage District No. 2, 6 per cent bonds	500.00
	1	To Peoria Park District, 3 1/2 per cent bonds.....	2,000.00
	1	To City of Jacksonville, 4 per cent funding bonds.....	2,000.00
	1	To Scott Co. Levee and Drainage District, 6 per cent bonds	4,000.00
	1	To Auburn Township, Sangamon Co., 5 per cent School bonds	2,000.00
	1	To City of Georgetown, Ill., 5 per cent improvement bonds	1,500.00
	1	To City of Rushville, 5 per cent paving bonds.....	3,700.00
	1	To School Dist. No. 57, Lawrence Co., 6 per cent School bonds	3,500.00
	1	To Third Liberty U. S. 4 1/4 per cent bonds.....	7,550.00
Total			\$ 47,250.00

OLD FOLKS' HOME ENDOWMENT FUND.

Interest Account.

Cr.

By interest collected on securities belonging to the Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund as follows:

1917.			
Dec.	1	Auburn Township School bonds.....	\$ 50.00
	18	Henderson Co. Drainage bonds.....	15.00
	19	Frank Ives, farm loan.....	400.00
	26	Roy and Amanda Erlson, farm loan.....	114.00

1918.			
Jan.	8	City of Jacksonville, Ill., bonds.....	\$ 10.00
	8	Peoria, Ill., Park bonds	35.00
Feb.	6	Emmett C. Thompson, loan.....	100.00
Mar.	2	A. C. Sells, farm loan.....	302.50
	22	J. O. Doll, farm loan.....	315.00
Apr.	4	City of Rushville bonds.....	185.00
	29	City of Georgetown, bonds.....	25.00
	29	Auburn Township bonds.....	50.00
June	1	Ida M. Darnall, farm loan.....	155.00
	26	Henderson Co. Drainage District No. 2 bonds.....	15.00
	28	Peoria Park District bonds.....	35.00
	28	City of Jacksonville bonds.....	40.00
	28	Scott Co. Drainage and Levee bonds.....	240.00
	28	School District No. 57, Lawrence Co., bonds.....	165.00
July	31	City of Georgetown bonds.....	50.00
Total			\$ 2,271.50

Dr.

1918.			
May	1	To premium paid on Summer School District No. 57, Lawrence Co., bonds	\$ 176.75
	1	To interest paid on same	24.95
Sept.	21	To order No. 5429, paid to Old Folks' Home.....	2,069.80
Total			\$ 2,271.50

ILLINOIS ODD FELLOWS' SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' RELIEF FUND.

Cash Account.

Cr.

1917.			
Dec.	1	By transfer from Special Relief Fund.....	\$ 5,000.00
1918.			
May	1	By transfer from General Fund.....	20,000.00
	1	By cash received from John H. Sikes, G. S.....	189.86
Nov.	1	By cash received from John H. Sikes, G. S.....	470.45
	1	By transfer from General Fund.....	20,000.00
Total			\$ 45,660.31

Dr.

To orders paid during the month of March.....	\$ 55.43
To orders paid during the month of April.....	143.68
To orders paid during the month of May.....	20,649.37
To orders paid during the month of June.....	277.45
To orders paid during the month of July.....	539.69
To orders paid during the month of August.....	274.14
To orders paid during the month of September.....	833.22
To orders paid during the month of October.....	10,519.40
Nov. 1 Balance in this fund	12,376.93
Total ..	\$ 45,660.31

ILLINOIS ODD FELLOWS' SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' RELIEF FUND.

Securities Account.

Cr.

1918.			
May	7	By Third Liberty Loan U. S. 4¼ per cent bonds.....	\$ 20,000.00
Oct.	13	By Fourth Liberty Loan U. S. 4¼ per cent bonds.....	10,000.00
Total			\$ 30,000.00

Dr.

1918.			
Nov.	1	To Third Liberty Loan U. S. 4¼ per cent bonds.....	\$ 20,000.00
	1	To Fourth Liberty Loan U. S. 4¼ per cent bonds.....	10,000.00
Total securities in this fund.....			\$ 30,000.00

HOME TAX FUND.

Cr.

1918.			
May	1	By transfer from General Fund.....	\$ 50,681.50
July	18	By cash received from John H. Sikes, G. S.....	20,000.00
July	27	By cash received from John H. Sikes, G. S.....	15,000.00
Oct.	5	By cash received from John H. Sikes, G. S.....	15,000.00
Nov.	1	By cash received from John H. Sikes, G. S.....	2,804.50
Total ..			\$ 103,486.00

Dr.

1918.			
May	1	To Orphans' Home Fund, ½ 1918 appropriation.....	\$ 22,000.00
	1	To Old Folks' Home Fund, ½ 1918 appropriation.....	23,000.00
Nov.	1	To Orphans' Home Fund, ½ 1918 appropriation.....	22,000.00
	1	To Old Folks' Home Fund, ½ 1918 appropriation.....	23,000.00
	1	To balance in this fund.....	13,486.00
Total ..			\$ 103,486.00

SECURITIES ON HAND NOVEMBER 1, 1918.

Margaret A. Morse, farm mortgage loan in Orphans' Home Endowment Fund ..	\$ 5,000.00
Isabelle and George Hubbell, farm mortgage loan in Orphans' Home Endowment Fund ..	3,300.00
Carl P. Hansen, farm mortgage loan in Orphans' Home Endowment Fund ..	8,000.00
Emmett C. Thompson, farm mortgage loan in Orphans' Home Endowment Fund ..	2,000.00
Christian J. Blackert, farm mortgage loan in Orphans' Home Endowment Fund ..	7,000.00
City of Jacksonville, Ill., 4 per cent Funding bonds in Orphans' Home Endowment Fund ..	4,000.00
City of Peoria, Ill., Park District 3½ per cent bonds in Orphans' Home Endowment Fund ..	1,000.00
Scott County Drainage and Levee 6 per cent bonds in Orphans' Home Endowment Fund ..	2,000.00
Auburn Township, Sangamon County School bonds, 5 per cent in Orphans' Home Endowment Fund ..	2,500.00
School District No. 57, Lawrence County, 6 per cent bonds in Orphans' Home Endowment Fund ..	1,000.00
Fourth Liberty Loan 4¼ per cent bonds in Orphans' Home Endowment Fund ..	1,250.00
James and Joseph McBride, farm mortgage loan in Orphans' Home Endowment Fund ..	7,000.00
Third Liberty Loan 4¼ per cent bonds in Orphans' Home Endowment Fund ..	1,000.00
Emmett C. Thompson, farm mortgage loan in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund ..	2,000.00
Roy and Amanda Ericson, farm mortgage loan in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund ..	1,900.00
A. C. Sells, farm mortgage loan in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund ..	5,500.00
Frank Ives, et al, farm mortgage loan in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund ..	8,600.00
Ida M. Darnall, farm mortgage loan in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund ..	3,100.00
Henderson County Drainage District No. 2, 6 per cent bonds in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund ..	500.00
Peoria, Ill., Park 3½ per cent bonds in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund ..	2,000.00
Jacksonville, Ill., 4 per cent City Funding bonds in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund ..	2,000.00

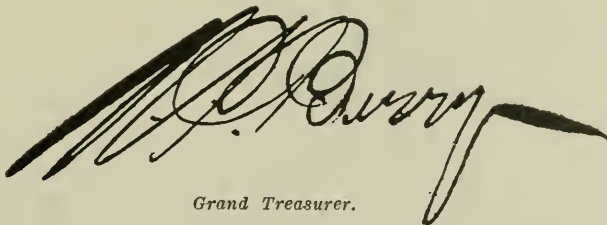
Scott County Drainage and Levee District 6 per cent bonds in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund.....	\$ 4,000.00
Auburn Township, Sangamon County, School 5 per cent bonds, in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund.....	2,000.00
City of Georgetown, Vermillion County, Ill., Improvement bonds, 5 per cent in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund.....	1,500.00
City of Rushville, Ill., Paving District No. 2, 5 per cent improvement bonds in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund.....	3,700.00
Lawrence County School District No. 37, School Building 6 per cent bonds in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund.....	3,500.00
Third Liberty Loan $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent bonds in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund ..	7,550.00
Third Liberty Loan $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent bonds in Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief Fund ..	20,000.00
Fourth Liberty Loan $4\frac{1}{4}$ per cent bonds in Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief Fund ...	10,000.00
Total ..	\$ 122,300.00

SUMMARY.

Cash in General Fund	\$ 32,577.42
Cash in Aged Odd Fellows' Fund.....	2,333.89
Cash in Orphans' Home Excursion Fund.....	254.88
Cash in Special Relief Fund	1,653.85
Cash in Old Folks' Home Trust Fund.....	4.00
Cash in Old Folks' Home Building Fund.....	226.62
Cash in Orphans' Home Fund	5,632.84
Cash in Old Folks' Home Fund	358.88
Cash in Orphans' Home Endowment Fund.....	491.51
Cash in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund.....	743.30
Cash in Odd Fellows' Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief Fund.....	12,376.93
Cash in Home Tax Fund.....	13,486.00
Total cash in treasury.....	\$ 70,195.12
Total securities	122,300.00

To cash, notes and bonds on hand November 1, 1918.....\$ 192,495.12

Fraternally submitted,



Grand Treasurer.

Carthage, Illinois, Nov. 1, 1918.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES' REPORT.

To Honorable H. M. Blood, Grand Master:

It is with great pleasure and in accordance with an established custom, we herewith present to you and through you to the Grand Lodge a summary of the proceedings of the Ninety-fourth Annual Communication of the Sovereign Grand Lodge.

We ask your consideration of this report and trust that the same will meet with your approval and that of the Grand Lodge.

The Ninety-fourth Annual Communication of the Sovereign Grand Lodge convened in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, on Monday, Sept. 16, 1918, and adjourned on Friday, Sept. 20, 1918. All the elective and appointive officers were in attendance.

PAST GRAND SIRE.

Alfred S. Pinkerton, Massachusetts.

John B. Goodwin, Maryland.

E. S. Conway, Illinois.

John B. Cockrum, Indiana.

J. B. A. Robertson, Oklahoma.

CONDITION OF THE ORDER.

STATISTICS OF THE ORDER THROUGHOUT THE WORLD FROM
1830 TO DECEMBER 31, 1917.

INCLUDING AUSTRALIA, DENMARK, GERMANY, NETHERLANDS, SWEDEN, AND
SWITZERLAND.

Initiations in Subordinate Lodges.....	4,502,495
Members relieved	4,844,321
Widowed Families relieved.....	370,701
Members deceased	508,456
Total Relief	\$179,727,445.88
Total Revenue	\$407,299,003.43

CONDITION OF THE ORDER THROUGHOUT THE WORLD
DECEMBER 31, 1917.

Sovereign Grand Lodge.....	1
Quasi-Independent Grand Lodges (Australasia, Denmark, Germany, Netherlands, Sweden, and Switzerland)...	6
Grand Lodges	68
Grand Encampments	58
Subordinate Lodges	17,698
Subordinate Encampments	3,450
Rebekah Lodges	9,953
Lodge Members	1,694,090
Encampment Members	237,272
Rebekah Lodge Members	771,895
Total number of persons belonging to the Order.....	2,230,231
Total Relief paid in 1917.....	\$ 6,509,889.65
Total Receipts of Subordinate Bodies for 1917.....	\$ 20,111,149.52
Total Expenses of Grand and Subordinate Bodies for 1917	\$ 11,437,202.82
Invested Funds of Grand and Subordinate Bodies De- cember 31, 1917.....	\$ 73,007,653.35

FOREIGN LANGUAGES.

The following legislation was enacted relative to the use of foreign languages:

A BILL TO ADD TO THE CODE OF GENERAL LAWS OF THE
I. O. O. F. A NEW SECTION TO BE KNOWN AS SECTION
373-A, PRESCRIBING THE LANGUAGE IN WHICH
SUBORDINATE BODIES MAY WORK.

Be it enacted by The Sovereign Grand Lodge, There is hereby added to the Code of General Laws of the I. O. O. F. a new section to be known as Section 373-A, as follows:

Section 373-A.—THE LANGUAGE IN WHICH SUBORDINATE BODIES MAY WORK. No Grand Body shall hereafter authorize any Subordinate or Rebekah Lodge or any Subordinate Encampment on the Continent of North America to work in any other than the English language.

On or before June 30, 1919, all Subordinate and Rebekah Lodges and all Subordinate Encampments on the Continent of North America, working in any other than the English language, shall surrender their rituals in exchange for rituals printed in the English language (which shall be furnished by the Sovereign Grand Lodge without charge), and after December 31, 1919, all the work and business of such Lodges and

Encampments shall be conducted in the English language.

Your representatives were of the opinion that more time should be given to the lodges using the foreign languages in which to memorize the various charges, but our jurisdiction will be obliged to do the best that it can under the circumstances and, in the event that foreign language lodges find it impossible to perfect themselves in the work within the specified time, then we recommend that a petition be presented to the Sovereign Grand Lodge asking for an extension of time.

DECISIONS.

The following decisions of the Grand Sire were approved:

DECISION No. 1 (S. G. L. CODE 466—MARITIME PROVINCES).

HOME FUNDS.—When a Grand Lodge raises, by assessment or otherwise, a fund for the establishment of a Home for Odd Fellows, such funds can be used for the purpose of establishing an Odd Fellows' Home, where widows of Odd Fellows, whether Rebekahs or not, and the orphans of Odd Fellows, could also be accepted as residents. Such funds or a portion thereof can be used for the purpose of maintaining such a Home when established. When a Grand Lodge creating such fund embraces more than one Province or State, and thereafter such Grand Jurisdiction is divided into two or more Grand Jurisdictions, there should be an equitable division of the funds or property existing at the time of such dissolution, but it is impossible for the Grand Sire or The Sovereign Grand Lodge or for the Grand Lodge to determine in advance how such equitable division of such property shall be accomplished.

DECISION No. 2 (S. G. L. CODE 723—NEBRASKA).

APPEAL ACTS AS A SUPERSEDEAS.—An appeal from a judgment of a Subordinate Lodge to a Grand Lodge acts as a supersedeas, that is, suspends the execution of the judgment or sentence, unless otherwise provided by local law.

DECISION No. 4 (S. G. L. CODE 229, 230—COLORADO).

CONFERRING ENCAMPMENT DEGREES.—An Encampment may have all the degrees, including the Patriarchal, conferred on its candidates by a different Encampment in another city, provided they proceed in accordance with the law (Sections 229 and 230) prescribed on page 109, Sovereign Grand Lodge Code, 1915.

DECISION No. 5 (JOURNAL, 1917, PAGE 247—ILLINOIS).

WAR LEGISLATION APPLIES TO ALL BRANCHES OF THE ORDER.—The war legislation adopted by The Sovereign Grand Lodge (Journal, 1917, p. 247) applies to all branches of the Order. Therefore a member of a Rebekah Lodge while serving in the military or naval service cannot be suspended for non-payment of dues.

DECISION No. 6 (S. G. L. CODE 470—RHODE ISLAND).

ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO ODD FELLOWS' HOMES.—The Sovereign Grand Lodge has not enacted a law fixing qualifications for admission to Odd Fellows' Homes. All such questions are therefore within the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodges.

DECISION No. 7 (S. G. L. CODE 137—WASHINGTON).

OFFICIAL CERTIFICATES.—When an Official Certificate is issued to a member stating, by mistake, that dues are paid to a date later than such dues are actually paid, the Lodge is not bound by the receipt and the member should pay the dues as though such mistake had not occurred.

DECISION No. 8 (S. G. L. CODE 187, REBEKAH CODE 6—OREGON).

REBEKAH LODGES, ELIGIBILITY.—A member of the Order who has received the Initiatory Degree, and who is otherwise qualified, is eligible to membership in a Rebekah Lodge. (Section 6 Rebekah Code; Section 187 S. G. L. Code; Section 2602 Busbee's Digest.)

DECISION No. 12 (JOURNAL, 1917, PAGE 247—ILLINOIS).

WAR LEGISLATION, SOLDIERS IN MILITARY SERVICE OF OUR ALLIES.—A member of a lodge or Encampment in the United States or Canada, who joins the military or naval forces of England or of any of the Allies of the country in which his lodge or Encampment is located, is entitled to all of the benefits and privileges accorded by law to any other soldier member of the Order.

DECISION No. 13 (JOURNAL, 1917, PAGE 247—MINNESOTA).

WAR LEGISLATION, PAYMENT OF DUES OF SOLDIER MEMBERS.—Article 22 of the Code, adopted and effective September 21, 1917, and known at the War Legislation, authorizes Grand Lodges and Grand Encampments to provide a fund for the purpose of paying the dues and benefits of such of the members of their Subordinate Lodges and Encampments as may be engaged in the military or naval service.

Section 2 of said Article provides that no member of the Order while serving in the military or naval forces shall be suspended for non-payment of dues or become non-beneficial, the exact wording of the Section being "or lose any right or privilege which he now has."

If a Grand Lodge or Grand Encampment does not make provision for the raising of a fund for such purpose, the dues of such members must be charged up against them until such time as provision may be made for their payment, but such charging of dues cannot in any event cause such member to become non-beneficial if he was already in the service and was beneficial September 21, 1917, or if he entered the service after September 21, 1917, and was beneficial at the time he entered the service.

If he was already in the service and was non-beneficial, by reason of being in arrears on September 21, 1917, or if he entered the service after September 21, 1917, and was non-beneficial, by reason of being in arrears at the time of entering the service, he could not be dropped from membership but would remain non-beneficial until restored to beneficial membership by the payment of such arrearage.

He would have the right to pay such arrearages at any time and would become beneficial thereafter in accordance with the laws of his Grand Jurisdiction.

DECISION No. 14 (S. G. L. CODE 1 AND 376—WEST VIRGINIA).

SUSPENSION OF LODGE, RIGHTS OF MEMBERS.—The Grand Lodge of West Virginia at its annual session in October, 1917, suspended a Subordinate lodge for 90 days.

The legality of such suspension is not questioned and is not before me for a decision.

Assuming that such suspension was legal and within the power of the Grand Lodge, and that the Subordinate Lodge was suspended during the 90-day period, then during such period dues of members would not accrue and sick members would not be entitled to benefits.

DECISION No. 15 (S. G. L. CODE 408—WEST VIRGINIA).

INSTALLATION OF GRAND OFFICER ELECT.—The constitution of a Grand Lodge provided that, should an elective officer fail to be present at the proper time for installation, such office should be declared vacant and should at once be filled by election.

At the proper time for the installation of the officers of that Grand Lodge the Grand Warden elect was not present, his absence was not "due to sickness or other unavoidable circumstances." The installing officer did not declare the office vacant and no election was held, so that no one was installed as Grand Warden.

Under such circumstances, the office of Grand Warden is vacant and must be filled by election at the next session of the Grand Lodge.

DECISION No. 16 (S. G. L. CODE 316—VERMONT).

FUNDS, RED CROSS.—It is not a legitimate use of the funds of an Odd Fellows' Lodge or Encampment to vote money for a donation to the Red Cross.

DECISION No. 17 (S. G. L. CODE 316—VERMONT).

FUNDS RAISED IN NAME OF THE ORDER, RED CROSS.—It is not proper for a Lodge or for its members to hold a meeting or entertainment in the name of the Order for the purpose of raising money to be donated to the Red Cross and present the same as coming from the Order.



James Ewing Davis.

Grand Representative,
Chicago.

DECISION No. 18 (S. G. L. CODE 315—NORTH DAKOTA).

FUNDS, RELIEF OF WIDOW.—It is a legitimate use of the funds of the Order to vote a donation of a reasonable amount for the relief of the widow of an Odd Fellow who died while in good standing. (See Busbee's Digest, Section 507.)

DECISION No. 19 (S. G. L. CODE 397—COLORADO).

GRAND OFFICER, HONORS OF THE ORDER.—When a Grand Master is visiting a Subordinate Lodge officially and is to be received with the honors of the Order it is both legal and proper for him to be accompanied by his appointive officers.

The same ruling will apply in other branches of the Order.

DECISION No. 20 (S. G. L. CODE 187, REBEKAH CODE 6—MINNESOTA).

REBEKAH LODGE, ELIGIBILITY TO MEMBERSHIP.—A woman whose husband is not an Odd Fellow may join a Rebekah Lodge, provided she is otherwise qualified as provided in the Rebekah Code, Section 6.

DECISION No. 21 (REBEKAH CODE 6—MINNESOTA).

REBEKAH LODGE, ELIGIBILITY TO MEMBERSHIP.—A woman who has been elected to membership in a Rebekah Lodge, and whose eligibility is based solely upon the fact that she is an unmarried woman, and who, before her initiation, marries a man who is not an Odd Fellow, is not eligible to be initiated. (See Decision 28, by Grand Sire Conway, Journal 1908, p. 434, 719, 737.)

DECISION No. 23 (S. G. L. CODE 484, 493—MINNESOTA).

RESIDENCE OF CANDIDATE.—Application for membership shall be made to the lodge nearest residence (Code 490).

If a Brother has moved and now resides outside of the Grand Jurisdiction in which the lodge to which he formerly belonged is located, and should wish to rejoin his former lodge, he can do so only by securing, first, a waiver from the lodge within whose local jurisdiction he resides; second, a waiver from the Grand Lodge within whose Jurisdiction he resides; and, third, the consent of the Grand Lodge having jurisdiction of the lodge which he desires to join.

DECISION No. 25 (JOURNAL 1917, PAGE 247—COLORADO).

WAR LEGISLATION, SOLDIER IN SERVICE OF OUR ALLIES.—Odd Fellowship is an international organization. Its beneficence is not limited by the boundary lines which divide and separate nations.

The war legislation (Journal 1917, p. 247) authorizes, and, in my opinion, contemplates, that the legislation therein provided for shall apply to soldiers and sailors whether in the service of the country in which the lodge is located or in the service of one of the allies of such country, therefore a Grand Lodge may lawfully enact legislation pro-

viding for the payment of the dues and benefits of those of its members who are in the military or naval service of any of the allies of the country in which it is located.

DECISION No. 26 (S. G. L. CODE 187, REBEKAH CODE 6—ILLINOIS).

REBEKAH LODGE, ELIGIBILITY TO MEMBERSHIP.—A member of the Order who has received the Initiatory Degree, and who is otherwise qualified, is eligible to membership in the Rebekah lodge. (Sec. 6 Reb. Code; Sec. 2602 Busbee's Digest.)

(See also Decision No. 18, by Grand Sire Stebbins, 1895, p. 14240. Report Judiciary Committee, 1896, pp. 15003, 15071, 15087. Decision No. 85, by Grand Sire Pinkerton, 1899, pp. 32, 365, 394.)

DECISION No. 27 (JOURNAL 1917, PAGE 247—ALBERTA).

WAR LEGISLATION, WHO ENTITLED TO BENEFITS.—A member of the Order, who is in good standing at the time of entering the military or naval service, and who has entered into such service since September 21, 1917, is entitled to the benefits of the war legislation, being Article 22, Journal 1917, p. 247, and if beneficial at the time of his entering such service he must be retained as a beneficial member until the close of the war or until he leaves such service.

DECISION No. 28 (JOURNAL 1917, PAGE 247—ALBERTA).

WAR LEGISLATION, SUBORDINATE BODIES MAY REDUCE OR ABOLISH BENEFITS.—The provision of the war legislation to the effect that "No member of the Order while hereafter serving in the military or naval forces shall be suspended for non-payment of dues, or lose any right or privilege which he now has," does not mean that a Subordinate lodge cannot reduce the amount of benefits payable to its members; nor does it mean that a Grand Encampment is prohibited from abolishing payment of pecuniary benefits by its Subordinate Encampments. If such action is taken, a soldier member still retains all of his rights and privileges as a member of his subordinate body.

A Grand Encampment may, therefore, provide that pecuniary benefits shall not be paid by any of its subordinate encampments, and such legislation shall apply to soldier members as well as to other members.

DECISION No. 29 (S. G. L. CODE 401, 412, 852, 855—ALBERTA).

ENCAMPMENT OFFICERS, ELIGIBILITY TO ADVANCEMENT.—The High Priest in a Subordinate Encampment and the Grand High Priest in Grand Encampments are not executive officers, and, in case the office of Chief Patriarch or Grand Patriarch becomes vacant, his place shall be filled temporarily by the Senior Warden or Grand Senior Warden.

Any Past Chief Patriarch is eligible to the office of Grand Patriarch; service as Grand Senior Warden not being essential.

Eligibility to the office of Chief Patriarch is fixed by the Code, 852, 853.

In case of a vacancy in the office of Grand Patriarch, the vacancy shall be filled as provided in the Code, 412.

In case of a vacancy in the office of Chief Patriarch, the vacancy shall be filled by election (Code 855).

DECISION No. 31 (JOURNAL 1917, PAGE 247—HAWAII).

WAR LEGISLATION APPLIES TO LODGES UNDER IMMEDIATE JURISDICTION OF THE SOVEREIGN GRAND LODGE.—Article 22 of the Code, being the War Legislation adopted in 1917 (p. 247) is applicable to all lodges of the Order whether they be under the immediate jurisdiction of the Sovereign Grand Lodge or under the jurisdiction of a Grand Lodge.

DECISION No. 32 (JOURNAL 1917, PAGE 247—HAWAII).

WAR LEGISLATION, DUES AND BENEFITS.—Article 22 of the Code, being the War Legislation adopted in 1917 (p. 247) does not require the actual raising of money for the payment of dues of soldier members. Grand Lodges and lodges under the immediate jurisdiction of The Sovereign Grand Lodge are given the authority to raise money for that purpose, but such action is not compulsory. The second clause of such legislation is, however, compulsory, and "No member of the Order while serving in the military or naval forces shall be suspended for nonpayment of dues or lose any right or privilege he now has."

DECISION No. 33 (JOURNAL 1917, PAGE 247—HAWAII).

WAR LEGISLATION APPLIES TO SOLDIERS IN TRAINING—Article No. 22 of the Code, being the War Legislation adopted in 1917 (p. 247) is applicable to soldiers and sailors from the time they enter the service of their respective countries, whether such service be in training camps at home or over seas.

DECISION No. 34 (JOURNAL 1917, PAGE 247—HAWAII).

WAR LEGISLATION, BENEFITS TO SOLDIERS IN GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS.—Article No. 22 of the Code, being the War Legislation adopted in 1917 (p. 247), does not change the law providing that benefits shall be paid to soldiers or sailors in government hospitals.

DECISION No. 35 (S. G. L. CODE 6—HAWAII).

BENEFITS.—The amendment to Section 6 of the Code of General Laws, which amendment was adopted in 1917 (p. 249), provides that 'Grand Bodies shall have power and authority to enact laws abolishing weekly benefits after the payment of 52 weeks, or to authorize the Subordinates of such Grand Bodies to abolish payment of benefits after 52 weeks.' This amendment is applicable to lodges working under the immediate jurisdiction of The Sovereign Grand Lodge, so

that such Subordinate lodges now have the authority to abolish weekly benefits after 52 weeks, if such Subordinate lodges so desire.

DECISION No. 36 (S. G. L. 316—NEVADA).

FUNDS, RED CROSS.—It is not a legitimate use of the contingent fund of an Odd Fellows or Rebekah Lodge or Encampment, to vote money from such contingent fund as a donation to the Red Cross.

DECISION No. 37 (JOURNAL 1917, PAGE 247—KANSAS).

WAR LEGISLATION, HONORS OF OFFICE.—That portion of the War Legislation enacted in 1917 (p. 257, 3d), providing that officers of the Order "shall be excused for failure to attend any meeting when such failure is due to their service in the military or naval forces," does not authorize the giving of the honors of office to a member in the military or naval service who has not been regularly installed in his office.

DECISION No. 38 (S. G. L. CODE 159—KANSAS).

TRANSFER CERTIFICATES.—The Transfer Certificate Law (Code 159, Journal 1913, pp. 830 to 838) does not apply to the case of a member who desires to withdraw from one lodge or Encampment and to join another lodge or Encampment, unless such member changes his place of residence, as provided therein.

DECISION No. 39 (S. G. L. CODE 490—KANSAS).

MEMBERSHIP IN ENCAMPMENT, LOCATION OF LODGE.—The general law of the Order provides that a candidate must apply for admission to the lodge or encampment nearest his place of residence, unless the Grand Jurisdiction has otherwise provided.

The location of the lodge to which a Brother belongs when such Brother desires to join an Encampment is no importance. The question is not the location of the lodge, but the place of residence of the Brother.

DECISION No. 40 (JOURNAL 1917, PAGE 247—MASSACHUSETTS).

WAR LEGISLATION, BENEFITS, HOW LONG TO BE PAID BY GRAND LODGE.—A member of the Order, engaged in the military or naval service, who is taken sick, and by reason of such illness discharged from such service, but who still remains sick, as sickness is defined by the laws of our Order, should be paid benefits until the end of such sickness; and, in case a Grand Lodge has assessed its members for the purpose of establishing a fund for the payment of benefits to soldier and sailor members, such benefits should be charged against said fund.

DECISION No. 42 (S. G. L. CODE 408—KENTUCKY).

GRAND MASTER ELECT, INSTALLATION IF IN MILITARY SERVICE.—A Grand Master elect, who is absent from the session of his Grand Lodge, by reason of being engaged in the military or naval service, may, if the

Grand Lodge so directs, be installed into his office, wherever he may be, by any qualified member of his Grand Lodge.

DECISION No. 43 (S. G. L. CODE 319—ARKANSAS).

CONTINGENT FUND OF REBEKAH LODGES, FIVE PER CENT ONLY.—Section 319 of The Sovereign Grand Lodge Code gives to Grand Lodges and Grand Encampments power to authorize their subordinates to set aside not exceeding ten per cent of their income from all sources as a contingent fund.

In 1917, page 250, this section was amended by the insertion, after the word "subordinates" in line 3, of the words, "and Grand Lodges shall have power to authorize Rebekah Assemblies."

As amended, the power to establish contingent funds is now vested in Subordinate lodges, Subordinate Encampments and Rebekah Assemblies, when authority for such fund has been specifically granted by their Grand Lodges and Grand Encampments, respectively.

The law providing for the establishment of contingent funds was enacted in 1890 (p. 12232). This contingent fund was originally established at five per cent of the receipts for dues.

In 1891 (pp. 12610 and 12651) this law was amended so as to include Rebekah lodges.

As the law now stands with relation to Rebekah lodges, the Grand Lodges have power to authorize Rebekah lodges "to set aside five per cent of their receipts for dues as a contingent fund."

Rebekah lodges are not authorized to establish the above contingent funds unless specific authority for that purpose has been granted by the Grand Lodge having jurisdiction. The granting of authority to Subordinate lodges to establish contingent funds does not authorize the establishment of such contingent funds by Rebekah lodges.

DECISION No. 44 (S. G. L. CODE 315—WISCONSIN).

FUNDS, ENTERTAINMENT FUNDS.—Whenever "Sunshine Funds" or "Entertainment Funds" or any other funds of like character are established by Subordinate or Rebekah lodges or Encampments, whether such funds are established from voluntary contributions, from receipts from entertainments, or in whatever similar manner, such funds should always be under the control of the lodge, but all such funds may be administered as the lodge may direct unless the by-law establishing such fund has limited the expenditure to specific purposes, in which case, of course, the expenditure must be in accordance with the by-law.

DECISION No. 45 (S. G. L. CODE 85, 166, 170—NORTH CAROLINA).

WITHDRAWAL CARDS ISSUED BY GRAND BODIES.—The Sovereign Grand Lodge Code (Sec. 166) fixes the price of the Dismissal Certificate at one dollar.

In Sec. 85 it provides that Grand Bodies may prescribe the fee that shall be charged for a Withdrawal Card.

Sec. 170 provides for the issuance by Grand Bodies of Withdrawal Cards under certain circumstances to members of defunct lodges.

Under these circumstances, Grand Lodges have the power to prescribe the fee that shall be charged for Withdrawal Card when such card is issued to a member of a defunct lodge.

DECISION NO. 46 (REBEKAH CODE 7 AND 16—MINNESOTA).

DISTRICT ASSOCIATIONS OF REBEKAH LODGES.—Decision No. 27, to be found on page 27 of The Sovereign Grand Lodge Journal of 1917, was regularly approved by The Sovereign Grand Lodge and is the law of the Order.

DECISION NO. 47 (REBEKAH CODE 7 AND 16—MINNESOTA).

DISTRICT ASSOCIATIONS, POWERS OF.—The passwords of the Rebekah lodge must not be given to, or be taken up by, the President of a Rebekah District Association meeting.

DECISION NO. 48 (REBEKAH CODE 7 AND 16—MINNESOTA).

DISTRICT ASSOCIATIONS, OPENING MEETINGS.—The President of a Rebekah District Association has no right to open such meeting using the passwords and signs, as in a Rebekah lodge.

DECISION NO. 49 (REBEKAH CODE 7 AND 16—MINNESOTA).

DISTRICT ASSOCIATIONS, INSTALLATION CEREMONY FORM.—A Rebekah District Association has no right to provide an installation ceremony for the installation of the officers of such association.

DECISION NO. 50 (REBEKAH CODE 7 AND 16—MINNESOTA).

DISTRICT ASSOCIATIONS, ENCOURAGEMENT OF, POWERS OF.—It is the policy of the Order to encourage the organization and work of District Associations of Rebekah lodges for the purpose of studying the law of the Order, and especially the secret work and the exemplification of the Rebekah Degree.

The secret work of the Order and the exemplification of the Rebekah Degree, whenever given at such District Association meetings, must be given by and under the control of the local Rebekah lodge at regular or special meetings thereof.

The District Association, itself, has no right to exemplify the Rebekah Degree, to take up the passwords, or to discuss the secret work.

DECISION NO. 51 (JOURNAL 1917, PAGE 247—MASSACHUSETT).

WAR LEGISLATION, PERSONS IN MILITARY SERVICE.—The personnel of the military and naval forces of the United States is defined by Section

101, Act of Congress, known as the Soldiers and Sailors' Civil Relief Act, approved March 8, 1918, as follows:

"Section 101. That the term, "persons in military service," as used in this act, shall include the following persons and no others: All officers and enlisted men of the Regular Army, the Regular Army Reserve, the Officers' Reserve Corps, and the Enlisted Reserve Corps; all officers and enlisted men of the National Guard and National Guard Reserve recognized by the Militia Bureau of the War Department; all forces raised under the Act entitled 'An Act to authorize the President to increase temporarily the Military Establishment of the United States,' approved May eighteenth, nineteen hundred and seventeen; all officers and enlisted men of the Navy, the Marine Corps, and the Coast Guard; all officers and enlisted men of the Naval Militia, Naval Reserve Force, Marine Corps Reserve, and National Naval Volunteers recognized by the Navy Department; all officers of the Public Health Service detailed by the Secretary of the Treasury for duty either with the Army or the Navy; any of the personnel of the Lighthouse Service and of the Coast and Geodetic Survey transferred by the President to the service and jurisdiction of the War Department or of the Navy Department; members of the Nurse Corps; Army field clerks; field clerks, Quartermaster Corps; civilian clerks and employees on duty with the military forces detained for service abroad in accordance with provisions of existing law; and members of any other body who have heretofore or may hereafter become a part of the military or naval forces of the United States. The term, 'military service,' as used in this definition, shall signify active service in any branch of service heretofore mentioned or referred to, but reserves and persons on the retired list shall not be included in the term, "persons in military service," until ordered to active service. The term, 'active service,' shall include the period during which a person in military service is absent from duty on account of sickness, wounds, leave, or other lawful cause."

DECISION No. 52 (S. G. L. CODE 926—WEST VIRGINIA).

PENAL OFFENSES, DESERTION.—Desertion from the naval or military forces is sufficient ground for the filing of charges against a member of the Order, and for his expulsion from the Order.

DECISION No. 53 (S. G. L. CODE 289—COLORADO).

SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS, HOW CHARGED AND COLLECTED.—When a lodge provides for the levying of a special assessment, the law requires that such assessment shall be charged and collected "as dues." If a member of such lodge fails to pay such assessment, but has paid his dues in advance so that the amount of money paid by him "as dues" is greater than the amount of accrued dues and assessments, such Brother is not in arrears. (Code 289.)

The assessment having been charged "as dues," and the Brother having paid a sufficient amount "as dues" to meet both "dues" and "assessments," it follows that the amount of dues paid by the Brother and which was paid by him for the purpose of keeping himself in good standing, should be applied to the payment of both dues and assessments.

DECISION No. 54 (S. G. L. CODE 475—ARIZONA).

MEMBERSHIP, ELIGIBILITY OF PERSONS PHYSICALLY DISABLED.—The question of admission to membership in the Order of persons who are physically disabled by the loss of a limb was settled in 1868 (pp. 4384 and 4417) by the adoption of a very full report and discussion of the subject by the Committee on State of the Order. The resolution adopted at that time, and which now governs the subject, is as follows:

"The question of eligibility to membership in the Order by initiation of persons who have lost a limb is hereby remitted to the jurisdiction and disposal of the Subordinate lodge to which admission is asked."

DECISION No. 55 (JOURNAL 1917, PAGE 247—MICHIGAN).

WAR LEGISLATION, REMISSION OF DUES NOT LEGAL.—Article 22 of the Code, adopted in 1917 (Journal, p. 247), does not authorize a Grand Encampment to provide that its subordinate Encampments may remit the dues of members engaged in the military service of their country. The provisions of Article 22 must be followed.

DECISION No. 56 (S. G. L. CODE 109, 121, 124, 500—IOWA).

REBEKAH LODGE, NON-CONTRIBUTING MEMBER, VISITING CARD FOR.—The law provides (Journal 1913, pp. 427-444) that a member of a Rebekah lodge who has become sixty years of age, and has been a contributing member for twenty-five consecutive years, may not be dropped for non-payment of dues but must be retained as a non-contributing member.

Such a member is "entitled to the passwords and fellowship of lodges and shall have all the privileges of active members."

Such a member may be granted a visiting card, as provided for in the Code, Sections 109, 121, 124.

DECISION No. 57 (S. G. L. CODE 356, 369, 373, 391—COLORADO).

PER CAPITA TAX OF LODGES.—The question as to whether or not a lodge instituted in June should be required to pay *per capita* tax for the full term of six months is a matter to be determined by local legislation of the Grand Body.

DECISION No. 59 (S. G. L. CODE 551—INDIANA).

RE-INSTATEMENT, SIGNING OF CONSTITUTION.—When a member is re-instated in a lodge, it is not necessary or proper that such member should again sign the constitution unless the local law so provides (Code 551).



Robert E. Henry.

Grand Chaplain,
Decatur.

DECISION No. 60 (S. G. L. CODE 788—INDIANA).

AS TO REGULAR MEETINGS ON HOLIDAYS.—When the regular meeting night of a lodge falls on the date of any national or other legally established and generally recognized holiday, according to the laws or customs of the state or country where such Lodge is held, it shall be lawful for such lodge to omit such meeting.

DECISION No. 61 (S. G. L. CODE 882—SOUTH DAKOTA.)

HONORS OF OFFICE FOR SOLDIER OFFICERS IN SUBORDINATE LODGE.—The war legislation of 1917 (p. 247) provides that an officer of a lodge or Encampment will not forfeit the honors of his office because of his enforced absence in the military service.

If, therefore, an officer who has been installed into office is required to be absent in performance of his military duties, the proper course for the lodge to pursue is to let that fact appear upon the minutes, and show that the Brother is excused from attendance by reason of his absence in the military service.

If such officer be the Noble Grand of the lodge, the Vive-Grand will thereafter fill the chair, as in other cases of absence of the Noble Grand. It would not be proper for the lodge to elect another member as Noble Grand.

DECISION No. 62 (WAR LEGISLATION—VERMONT).

BACK DUES OF SOLDIER MEMBER.—The war legislation of 1917 (p. 247) provides that "No member of the Order, while hereafter serving in the military or naval forces, shall be suspended for non-payment of dues or lose any right or privilege which he now has."

Under this law a member automatically holds the same *status* in the Order which he had at the time of his entry into the military service. If he was beneficial at that time he remains beneficial during his term of military service. If he was in arrears to such an extent as to be non-beneficial he must remain non-beneficial, unless he restores himself to beneficial membership, in the same manner as though he had not entered the military service. At any rate, his dues prior to the date of his entry into such military service and for the period elapsing between his entry into the military service and September 21, 1917, the date when such war legislation became effective, must be paid by the Brother, himself, or by some one for him, but not in any event by the lodge or by authority of the war legislation of 1917.

DECISION No. 64 (WAR LEGISLATION—SASKATCHEWAN).

DUES OF DISCHARGED SOLDIER.—The war legislation of 1917, as finally adopted (Journal, p. 247), in paragraph 5th omits the words: "and for thirty days after members shall be discharged from the military and naval service."

Therefore, when a soldier is discharged from the military or naval service, and the Grand Lodge has been paying his dues from a special fund raised for that purpose, the liability of the Grand Lodge ceases upon his discharge.

DECISION NO. 65 (SASKATCHEWAN).

CONSTITUTION OF GRAND LODGE CANNOT BE CHANGED BY RESOLUTION.—The Constitution of a Grand Lodge provides that "The Advisory Board shall appoint standing committees immediately after the session of the Grand Lodge."

The Grand Lodge cannot, by the adoption of a resolution, direct the Advisory Board as to who shall or shall not be appointed on such committees. Any such direction must be made by amendment to the Constitution of the Grand Lodge.

DECISION NO. 66 (S. G. L. CODE 319—CANAL ZONE).

CONTINGENT FUND.—Interest received by a lodge from its investments is a part of the income of the lodge, and, under Section 319 of the Code authorizing lodges "to set aside not exceeding ten per cent of their income from all sources as a contingent fund," not more than ten per cent of such interest can be applied to the contingent fund.

DECISION NO. 67 (S. G. L. CODE 466-470—INDIANA).

ELIGIBILITY TO ODD FELLOWS HOME.—The Sovereign Grand Lodge has left the matter of fixing qualifications for admission to Homes maintained by the Order to the Grand Jurisdictions.

If the law of the Grand Jurisdiction provides that the widow of a member is not eligible for admission to a Home unless her husband was beneficial at the time of his death, that rule is binding upon the widow.

If the widow belongs to a Rebekah Lodge in one Jurisdiction, and the husband belonged to a Subordinate lodge in another Jurisdiction, the question of the widow's admission to one or the other of these Homes depends entirely upon their local law. She cannot be refused admission to the Home in the Grand Jurisdiction to which her husband belonged solely because she belongs to a Rebekah Lodge in another Grand Jurisdiction, but, if she is not eligible under the law of the Grand Lodge to which her husband belonged, they are not compelled to admit her because of the fact that she belongs to a Rebekah Lodge in another Grand Jurisdiction. The law in each Jurisdiction must be applied, regardless of the fact that the husband and wife belonged in different Grand Jurisdictions.

DECISION NO. 68 (S. G. L. CODE 500—CALIFORNIA).

VETERAN CHEVALIER CANNOT BE D. N. P.—A Chevallier who has been in good standing in his canton for twenty-five (25) consecutive

years, and who is sixty (60) years of age, cannot be dropped for non-payment of dues. (See Resolution No. 39, Paragraph 6th, Journal 1915, pp. 251-255, and Code, Section 500.)

DECISION No. 69 (S. G. L. CODE 1, 3, 6—IOWA).

PAYMENT OF SICK BENEFITS.—The Constitution for Subordinate Lodges of a Grand Lodge, adopted in October, 1917, provides: "Every member.....shall receive.....but which benefits shall not be less than two dollars a week for the first year."

The by-laws of a Subordinate Lodge in the above Jurisdiction provide: "Every member.....shall receive..... and one dollar per week thereafter during the continuance of the illness."

A member of the said Subordinate Lodge, who has already been paid fifty-two weeks' sick benefits, is still entitled to draw benefits at the rate of one dollar per week.

DECISION No. 70 (S. G. L. CODE 1, 3, 6—IOWA).

PAYMENT OF SICK BENEFITS.—The amendments to Sections 1, 3, and 6 of The Sovereign Grand Lodge Code (Journal, 1917, p. 249) are permissive in their character.

These amendments give to Grand Lodges the power of "abolishing weekly benefits after the payment of fifty-two weeks' benefits, or authorizing the Subordinates of such Grand Bodies to abolish weekly benefits after the payment of fifty-two weeks' benefits."

After the adoption of the above amendments a Grand Lodge adopted a Constitution for Subordinate Lodges, providing: "but which benefits shall not be less than two dollars a week for the first year." Under the above Constitution it is optional with a Subordinate Lodge to pay or not to pay benefits after the payment of fifty-two weeks' benefits.

A by-law of a Subordinate Lodge, adopted prior to the adoption of the above Constitution for Subordinate Lodges, and providing for the payment of one dollar per week after the payment of fifty-two weeks' benefits, remains in force.

DECISION No. 72—OKLAHOMA.

WAR LEGISLATION, NOBLE GRAND, HONORS OF OFFICE.—Under the war legislation of 1917, where a Noble Grand enters the military or naval service, the records of the lodge should show that he is thereby excused from further attendance, and in the interim the Vice-Grand will perform the duties of the Noble Grand as in any other case of the absence of the Noble Grand.

The law does not authorize the election of a Noble Grand until the term of office of the soldier member has expired.

DECISION No. 73 (S. G. L. JOURNAL 1917, PAGE 247—VERMONT).

DUES OF REBEKAH MEMBERS IN MILITARY SERVICE.—Members of a Rebekah Lodge who are in the military service are not exempt from paying dues. If they do not pay dues they cannot be D. N. P., and in that case the dues will be charged against them, and will stand after the war as unpaid dues unless further legislation be enacted in relation to the subject. The Rebekah Lodge of which such persons are members must pay per capita taxes to the Rebekah Assembly pending further legislation on the subject.

The following decisions were amended and modified and approved:
DECISION No. 10 (S. G. L. CODE 2, 6—KENTUCKY).

BENEFITS, LEGISLATION OF 1917.—When a Grand Lodge has adopted legislation permitting its Subordinate Lodges to limit the benefits paid by such Subordinate Lodges to 52 weeks in accordance with the legislation of The Sovereign Grand Lodge in 1917, page 249, and a Subordinate Lodge changes its by-laws so as to limit the payment of benefits to 52 weeks, such legislation will apply to Brothers who were on the sick list at the time of the adoption of such By-Laws, and if they have received benefits for 52 consecutive weeks their right to further benefits will immediately cease.

Report 49. By Rep. Connick of California, from the same Committee.

To the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows:

Your Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the decisions of the Grand Sire, report that we have carefully considered Decision No. 10, page 31, of the Grand Sire's Report.

To avoid any confusion which may possibly hereafter arise from a misunderstanding or misinterpretation of this decision and to make the same clearly conform to the evident intent of the Grand Sire, we are of the opinion that such decision should be modified to read as follows:

When a Grand Lodge has adopted legislation permitting its Subordinate Lodges to limit the benefits paid by such Subordinate Lodges to 52 weeks in accordance with the legislation of The Sovereign Grand Lodge in 1917, page 249, and a Subordinate Lodge changes its By-Laws so as to limit the payment of benefits to 52 weeks, such legislation will apply to Brothers who were on the sick list at the time of the adoption of such By-Laws, and, if they have received benefits for 52 weeks for the same sickness, their right to further benefits will immediately cease.

We recommend that Decision 10 be modified as above stated and, as so modified, approved.

Signed by the Committee.

DECISION No. 11 (S. G. L. CODE 538, JOURNAL 1917, PAGE 247—ILLINOIS).

WAR LEGISLATION, NOTICE TO SOLDIER MEMBERS BEFORE D. N. P.—When a member joined the military or naval forces of the United States or of one of the Allies of the United States before the adoption of Article 22 of The Sovereign Grand Lodge Code (Journal 1917, p. 247) he cannot be dropped for non-payment of dues without being notified in accordance with the law that such action is about to be taken. The fact that the Secretary does not know his address will not justify such member being dropped for non-payment of dues, unless legal notice has been given. (Code 539, 540.)

If the name of the member has been dropped under the above circumstances, *i. e.*, without legal notice, it must be replaced on the rolls at any time thereafter upon application of such member, and the payment of accrued dues and assessments. After being restored to good standing as above, he is thereafter entitled to all the rights and privileges accorded by law to any other soldier member.

Report 25. By Rep. Hoagland of Nebraska, from the Committee on the Judiciary:

To the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows:

Your Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the decisions of the Grand Sire, have had under consideration Decision No. 11 and recommend that the same be revised to read as follows:

Decision No. 11 (S. G. L. Code 538, Journal 1917, 247—Illinois.)
 War Legislation. Notice to soldier members before D. N. P.

Statement. A lodge attempted to drop a member after having joined the military forces of one of the Allies of the United States, for non-payment of dues, prior to the adoption of Article 22 of The Sovereign Grand Lodge Code (Journal 1917, page 247). There was no attempted service of notice in accordance with the local law. The Secretary did not know his address.

Held. That action of the lodge was void. The fact that the Secretary did not know the address and that the member was "somewhere in France" did not excuse the failure to give the notice required by the law. Since the adoption of Section 22 of The Sovereign Grand Lodge Code (1917 Journal, page 247) the member cannot be dropped during this war, and the member's name must be replaced on the rolls of the lodge and retain the same standing therein as if no action had been attempted by the lodge to drop him. If the member should be restored to good standing he is thereafter entitled to all the rights and privileges accorded by law to any other soldier member.

Signed by the Committee.

DECISION No. 22 (S. G. L. CODE 90—MINNESOTA).

WITHDRAWAL CARD, DEPOSIT OF.—A Brother holding an expired withdrawal card cannot be reinstated in his home lodge, but if he rejoins his home lodge he must do so by deposit of withdrawal card the same as he would join any other lodge.

Report 14. By Rep. Mohr of Pennsylvania, from the Committee on Judiciary:

To the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to whom were referred the decisions of the Grand Sire, beg to report that we have carefully considered Decision No. 22 and would recommend that the same be revised so as to read as follows:

“Withdrawal Card, Deposit of.—A Brother holding an expired withdrawal card cannot regain membership in the lodge granting the same by reinstatement, but shall be permitted to apply for membership by deposit of such card at the place of his residence upon such terms and the payment of such fee as the laws may require.” (S. G. L. Code 96 and 97.)

Signed by the Committee.

DECISION No. 24 (S. G. L. CODE 315—MAINE).

ENTERTAINMENT FUND.—An entertainment fund raised entirely by voluntary contribution or entertainment given for that purpose may be expended without restriction. If the lodge surrenders its charter, this money should be turned over with the other funds of the lodge.

Report 15. By Rep. Christensen, of Utah, from the same committee:
To the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows:

Your Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the decisions of the Grand Sire, respectfully report that we have carefully examined Decision 24 and recommend that the same be approved with the following amendment:

Add after the words, “restrictions,” the words, “except as limited by Sec. 316 of the Code,” so that the decision, when amended, will read as follows:

“An entertainment fund, raised entirely by vountarily contribution or entertainment given for that purpose, may be expended without restriction except as limited by Sec. 316 of the Code. If the lodge surrenders its charter, this money should be turned over with the other funds of the lodge.”

Signed by the Committee.

DECISION No. 30 (S. G. L. CODE 710—CANAL ZONE).

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND SIRE, EXPENSES.—A District Deputy Grand Sire is not entitled to the payment of his expenses from a Subordinate lodge within his Jurisdiction for official visits to such Subordinate lodge, unless the invitation or request for his official visit carries with it the offer of payment of such expenses. He is not entitled to expenses for official visits from The Sovereign Grand Lodge, unless he first receives from the Grand Sire authority for the making of such visits coupled with a statement that such expenses will be paid by The Sovereign Grand Lodge.

Report 16. By Rep. Mohr, of Pennsylvania, from the same committee:

To the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows:

Your Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the decisions of the Grand Sire, beg to report that, after giving careful attention to Decision No. 30, would recommend that the same be revised so as to conform to the General Code of Laws 709 and 710, so as to read as follows:

"District Deputy Grand Sire, Expenses.—The necessary expenses incurred by a District Deputy Grand Sire in the performance of his official duties, or in carrying out the directions of the Grand Sire or Grand Secretary, shall be paid by The Sovereign Grand Lodge. However, all charges for traveling expenses must be paid by a Subordinate lodge whenever he is invited by such lodge to visit it for some legitimate purpose."

Signed by the Committee.

DECISION No. 41 (S. G. L. CODE 401—KENTUCKY).

GRAND MASTER, ELIGIBILITY.—Any Past Grand is eligible to election as Grand Master. It is not necessary that he first pass through the office of Grand Warden or Deputy Grand Master.

Report 17. By Rep. Pardee, of Arkansas, from the same committee:
To the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows:

Your Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the decisions of the Grand Sire, beg to report that we have carefully considered Decision No. 41 and are of the opinion that the phraseology of same should be changed.

We, therefore, recommend the following:

"Decision No. 41 (S. G. L. Code 400—Kentucky). A Past Grand in good standing in his own lodge, who is a member of, and resides within the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge, is eligible to election as Grand Sire without previous service in any other Grand Office."

Signed by the Committee.

DECISION No. 63 (S. G. L. CODE 373—WASHINGTON).

GERMAN LANGUAGE IN LODGES:—POWER OF GRAND LODGES.—Section 373 of the Code provides:

"Grand Lodges shall have authority at their discretion to grant charters to Subordinate lodges within their respective Jurisdictions."

The Sovereign Grand Lodge has from time to time authorized a translation of the ritual into the German and other foreign languages but has not adopted any legislation respecting the chartering of lodges to work in such languages. Therefore, under the general powers of Grand Lodges, they have authority to grant charters to work in foreign languages.

The issuing of a charter to a subordinate lodge to do its work in a foreign language does not confer upon such lodge any vested right to the use of such language, and the authority to work in such foreign language may be revoked at the discretion of the Grand Lodge.

Report 26. By Rep. Trautmann, of New York, from the same committee:

To the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows:

Your Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the decisions of The Grand Sire, beg to report that we have carefully considered Decision No. 63 and find that authority to a Subordinate body to work and transact its business in a foreign language is not conferred by charter. Such authority emanates from Grand Bodies, and is only a permission to do so.

Your committee is of the opinion that the decision should be revised to read as follows:

Decision No. 63. "German Lodges—Power of Grand Lodges—Section 373 of the Code provides:

"Grand Lodges shall have authority at their discretion to grant charters to Subordinate lodges within their respective jurisdictions."

The Sovereign Grand Lodge has from time to time authorized a translation of the ritual into the German and other foreign languages, but has not adopted any legislation respecting the chartering of lodges to work in such languages. Therefore, under the general powers of Grand Lodges, they have authority to grant permission to their Subordinates to work and transact business in foreign languages.

The granting of permission to a Subordinate to do its work in a foreign language does not confer upon such Subordinate any vested right to the use of such language, and the authority to work in such language may be revoked at the discretion of the Grand Lodge.

Signed by the Committee.



ANDREW G. ANDERSON,
Grand Marshal,
Chicago.

DECISION No. 71 (S. G. L. CODE 3—MISSOURI).

BENEFITS, AFTER 52 WEEKS' PAYMENT.—In 1917 (Journal, p. 249) Section 3 of the Code was amended to read as follows:

"The benefits paid by Subordinate lodges shall not be less than two dollars per week until the Brother shall have received fifty-two weeks' benefits * * *"

The question has been submitted:

(1) "Does the expression, 'fifty-two weeks' benefits,' mean fifty-two weeks consecutively or fifty-two weeks in the aggregate?"

(2) "When the Brother has drawn fifty-two weeks in the aggregate, is he barred from further benefits?"

Answering the last question first, I would say that the above section, as amended, is not a bar to the payment of benefits and is no limitation upon the payment of benefits in relation to time after the expiration of fifty-two weeks, or in relation to amount above the sum of two dollars per week.

The only effect of this law is to make it necessary that Subordinate lodges shall pay benefits in an amount not less than two dollars per week for a period of not less than fifty-two weeks.

Answering the first question, I would say that, in the absence of explanatory or limiting legislation by the Grand Lodge or in the By-Laws of the Subordinate lodge, the Subordinate lodge must pay fifty-two weeks' benefits for a sickness, whether such benefits be paid consecutively or at different times for the same sickness.

If a Brother has received fifty-two weeks' benefits for one sickness, and is afterwards taken with another sickness, he will then be entitled to benefits.

A Grand Lodge, or a Subordinate lodge if such legislation be not in opposition to the law of its Grand Lodge, has the right under Section 3, as amended, to limit the benefits to be paid to a Brother to an amount not less than two dollars per week and to a period of fifty-two weeks, whether such payments for a period of fifty-two weeks be for one sickness or more, and whether they be paid consecutively or at different times.

Report 47. By Rep. Rinehart, of Florida, from the Committee on the Judiciary:

To the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows:

Your Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred decision 71 of the Grand Sire, beg to report that we are of the opinion that the answers to the two questions propounded should be as follows:

1. The expression, "fifty-two weeks' benefit," means fifty-two weeks' benefit for one sickness.

2. No. If the Brother should be again afflicted by a sickness distinct from the one for which he had received the fifty-two weeks' benefit, he would be entitled to benefits the same as though he had never before received benefits; provided, his standing was such as to entitle him to benefits under the local law.

Signed by the Committee.

The following decisions of the Grand Sire were disapproved and reversed:

DECISION No. 3 (S. G. L. CODE 159—NORTH CAROLINA).

TRANSFER CERTIFICATES.—In 1914 The Sovereign Grand Lodge in legislating upon the subject of Transfer Certificates enacted the following legislation (1914 Journal, pp. 830 and 838).

"The issuing of a Transfer Certificate shall sever membership in the lodge or Encampment issuing it; provided, that, if a member becomes sick or disabled, or shall die before the date to which his dues are paid and before completing his membership by signing the Constitution of his new lodge or Encampment, then said transfer certificate of his new lodge or Encampment shall be cancelled and returned to the lodge or Encampment issuing the same and said member shall retain his beneficial standing in his old lodge or Encampment, the same as though the transfer certificate had not been issued.

"If the member fails to sign the Constitution of the new lodge or Encampment within three months after the date of his election, the transfer certificate shall be canceled and returned to the lodge or Encampment issuing the same and the member shall hold the same standing in his old lodge or Encampment as though the transfer certificate had not been issued."

"*Provided*, That the foregoing shall not extend to or affect the Quasi-Independent Grand Jurisdictions."

This legislation was not carried forward into the Code (Section 159) nor was it repealed thereby. The clauses stated above are therefore still the law of the Order. (Journal 1916, p. 479.)

Report 11. By Rep. Rinehart, of Florida, from the Committee on the Judiciary:

To the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows:

Your Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the decisions of the Grand Sire, beg to report that we have given careful consideration to decision numbered 3 and are of the opinion that it should be reversed. The transfer law as enacted in 1914 was carried into the Code in a modified form and Section 160 of the Code provides that the issuing of a transfer certificate severs membership from the body issuing it, except in certain conditions named in that Section. Section 523 further provides that membership in the body granting

the transfer certificate is not severed until the certificate is received and deposited and the Constitution signed. It thus appears that the provisions of the Code completely cover the whole subject. If the holder of the certificate becomes sick or disabled so as to be entitled to benefits during the period covered by the advanced payment of dues to the body granting the certificate, the certificate is *ipso facto* canceled; but if no such sickness or disability intervenes the right to complete membership in the new body by depositing the certificate and signing the Constitution continues without limit as to time.

The standing of the holder of such certificate after the expiration of the period covered by the advanced payment of dues is the same as a non-beneficial member of the body granting the certificate, and he can become a beneficial member in the new body only by completing his membership therein and in accordance with its laws.

We therefore recommend for adoption the following: Resolved, That decision of the Grand Sire numbered 3 be and the same is hereby disapproved and reversed.

DECISION No. 9 (S. G. L. CODE 484—MASSACHUSETTS).

RESIDENCE OF SOLDIER.—In 1882 (S. G. L. J. 1882, pp. 9026 and 9102) The Sovereign Grand Lodge adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That persons in the military service of the United States, who have been stationed continuously at one post for the space of six months or more, may make application for membership in our Order, provided they apply to the nearest lodge, or otherwise comply with the laws of the Jurisdiction in which the application is made."

This resolution has never been repealed and constitutes the law under which soldiers in training camps may be admitted to the Order. (See Circular Letter No. 8.)

Report 48. By Rep. Rinehart, of Florida, from the same Committee:

To the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows:

Your Committee on the Judiciary, to whom were referred the decisions of the Grand Sire, beg to report that we have had under consideration decision numbered 9, and that we cannot concur with the Grand Sire in his conclusions. We are of the opinion that the resolution quoted from the Journal of 1882 had reference to regular army posts in time of peace and was intended to apply to those cases where men were enlisted in the army and stationed at regular army posts and had no claim to a domicile or residence, distinct from his domicile or residence at the post where he was stationed. In the codification of the law, it will be noted that this enactment is carried in as an annotation to Section 489 of the Code. The general law does not undertake to fix the time required for residence as a pre-requisite to a membership. This is left to the Grand Jurisdiction, but a general

law does prescribe that an applicant must make application to a lodge nearest his residence and we think it self-evident that soldiers stationed at training camps cannot be said to have their residence or domicile at such training camps. We therefore offer for adoption the following:

Resolved: That decision of the Grand Sire, numbered 9, be, and the same is, hereby disapproved and reversed.

Signed by the Committee.

PAST GRAND SIRE C. A. KELLER.

During the past year the Sovereign Grand Lodge has lost one of its Past Grand Sires and, in view of the fact that Brother Keller was a native of our own state, and a Past Grand Master, we deem it fitting as a token to his memory that we record the beautiful memorial presented by Past Grand Sire Pinkerton of Massachusetts:

"'Friend after friend departs.' Each year marks the passing away of some we have loved and esteemed. Every Memorial Proclamation of the Grand Sire records the death of some with whom we have been associated in the Sovereign Grand Lodge. And today we mourn the loss of one who was with us last session in apparently full physical and mental vigor, but whose chair is vacant now—our honored Past Grand Sire C. A. Keller. To many of the younger representatives here he may have been known only by name. But to those who have met him year after year, there comes a sense of personal loss; for he was "best loved by those who knew him best."

"Bro. Keller was born in Mount Vernon, Illinois, on November 24, 1851. His early education was received in McKendree College, Lebanon, Illinois, and his legal training in Ann Arbor University, Michigan, from whence he graduated and was called to the bar in 1873. In that year he married Miss Nellie F. Raymond, of Lebanon, Illinois. After her death he married Miss Essie F. Haynes, of San Antonio, Texas.

"He began the practice of his profession in his home town, Mount Vernon, and three years later was elected judge of a court having common law and probate jurisdiction. In 1885, on account of the ill health of Mrs. Keller, he removed to San Antonio, Texas, where he resided until his death on February 21, 1918.

"He was made an Odd Fellow in Marion Lodge, No. 13, Illinois, on May 13, 1875, and soon after became a member of Jefferson Encampment No. 91. He soon passed through the chairs in both his lodge and Encampment; and in 1878 entered the Grand Lodge of Illinois. Here his advancement was rapid. In 1879, Grand Marshal; in 1880, Grand Warden; in 1881, Deputy Grand Master; in 1882, installed Grand Master. In 1884 he declined the nomination for Grand Repre-

sentative; but in the following year was elected to the position. His removal to San Antonio in 1885, however, prevented his serving at that time.

"In Texas he became at once as active an Odd Fellow as he had been in Illinois; and in 1888 we find him a member of the Grand Lodge, and in 1892 he was sent to the S. G. L. Here he served his jurisdiction—with a brief interval—until his election as Deputy Grand Sire in 1912. From his first entrance into this body he took a prominent place. His professional training especially fitted him for the position he held on the Committee on Appeals; while on all questions that came up for consideration he was able to reach a definite conclusion quickly, and defend it with eloquent speech.

"On his election to the office of Grand Sire in 1914, he entered energetically upon the work devolving upon him, and bravely bore the burden of responsibility which rests on every Grand Sire. He concerned himself with the minutest details of his office, assumed at times cares that he might have avoided, and bore with dignity the unjustifiable criticism of recalcitrant members of the Order whose conduct evoked his censure.

"An amiable as well as able man—of kindly disposition and genial manner—a splendid Odd Fellow and a sincere Christian—our departed Brother has left behind him the fragrant memory of long years well spent—of work well done—bearing with him through the vicissitudes of his earthly pilgrimage 'the white flower of a blameless life.'"

The Representatives from Illinois received the following committee appointments:

Past Grand Sire E. S. Conway on Special Committee on the One Hundredth Anniversary and on Memorials.

Arnold—Committee on Finance.

Davis—Committee on Legislation.

Horn—Committee on Patriarchal Branch.

Watson—Committee on Credentials.

THE NEXT PLACE OF MEETING.

Baltimore was selected as the meeting place for the next annual session. It was the intention to hold a Centennial Celebration at that time but it was decided that only a business session would be held. In the event that conditions should change so that it would be permissible to celebrate the One Hundredth Anniversary of our Order, in a manner befitting the occasion, with more extended public functions, then suitable arrangements will be made and the Order duly notified.

SICK BENEFITS.

Your Representatives offered two bills, namely, Bill 30 and Bill 31, to amend certain sections of the Code of 1915 permitting Grand Lodges by appropriate legislation to suspend benefits or authorize its subordinates to suspend them. Grand Master Blood appeared before the Committee on Legislation and presented a very able argument for the adoption of these amendments. The object and purpose of this legislation is to assist those lodges which have become financially embarrassed as this would enable them to avail themselves of this legislation whereby they could suspend benefits until such time as they would be financially able to meet their obligations. The Committee on Legislation considered the subject-matter of such vital importance that they recommend that the consideration of these amendments be postponed until the next session and that a special committee be appointed to report on the subject. The following committee was appointed:

Representatives Thompson of Michigan, Merrill of Maine, Billstein of Maryland.

The following were present from our own Jurisdiction:

John A. Lucas, Grand Chaplain, S. G. L.

H. M. Blood, Grand Master.

John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary.

F. B. Merrills, Past Grand Master.

Owen Scott, Past Grand Master.

Walter North, Grand Patriarch.

O. C. Forsman, Grand Junior Warden of the Grand Encampment.

Gen. Joseph Fairhall, Commander Patriarchs Militant.

Irene W. Cooper, President Rebekah State Assembly.

M. H. Spier, Editor P. M. Monthly.

Ladies in attendance were: Mesdames John H. Sikes, Grace Henry, J. A. Lucas, Myrtle W. Tandy, Cora N. Phillips, Joseph Fairhall, Lina D. Carlin, M. B. Horn, Lottie Scherrer, Ruth Chamberlain, Alice M. Trees, Ellen O. Johnson, Clara Lowe; Misses Tina Peterson, Mabel Asp, Rose Horn.

We understand that there were others present whose names we were unable to obtain.

GRAND CHAPLAIN.

It should be a pleasure to all the members of our Jurisdiction to know that Doctor J. A. Lucas was appointed Grand Chaplain by Grand Sire Borst.

NEW OFFICERS.

The following are the elective officers for the ensuing two years.

Grand Sire—Henry V. Borst, of New York.

Deputy Grand Sire—Joseph Oliver, of Ontario.

Grand Secretary—John B. Goodwin, of Maryland.

Grand Treasurer—William H. Cox, of Kentucky.

The following are the appointive officers:

Grand Chaplain—Doctor J. A. Lucas, of Illinois.

Grand Marshal—William C. Collett, of Massachusetts.

Grand Guardian—George W. Titus, of Kansas.

Grand Messenger—E. A. Bussing, of New Jersey.

General Commanding the Patriarchs Militant—General W. C. Guernsey, of New York.

BIENNIAL SESSIONS.

The constitutional amendment providing for biennial sessions after the year 1922 was defeated. Yeas, 95; nays, 108.

EIGHTEEN-YEAR-OLD PROPOSITION.

The constitutional amendment providing for the admission of members at the age of eighteen instead of the age of twenty-one was lost. Yeas, 98; nays, 103.

WAR RELIEF.

The Sovereign Grand Lodge appropriated and made immediately available for war relief purposes the sum of \$75,000. The Sovereign Grand Lodge also permitted all branches of the Order to make appeals to its members for voluntary contributions.

ST. LOUIS.

On account of the war there was no parade and there were no contests by the Degree Staff. It was purely a business session. St. Louis deserves great credit for the manner in which they looked after the welfare and comfort of the Representatives and visitors.

On Tuesday night a most delightful banquet was served at the Planters Hotel at which there were present about 700 people. Past Grand Representative A. M. Dockery, ex-governor of Missouri came all the way from Washington to be present as toastmaster at this banquet. The address of the evening was delivered by Grand Sire Borst. We wish to express our thanks to that splendid Odd Fellow, Grand Secretary Ben Weidel of Missouri, for his untiring efforts in making this session a wonderful success.

TOURING OF THE CITY.

On Wednesday afternoon, the Representatives were given a delightful time in an automobile tour of the city, which was enjoyed by all those who participated.

REBEKAH ASSEMBLIES.

The Association of Rebekah Assemblies was successful in having a bill passed to allow Rebekah Assemblies to use their funds for the purpose of sending a representative to the National Body, which meets at the same time as the Sovereign Grand Lodge.

RED CROSS.

Legislation was enacted permitting Subordinate bodies to appropriate, from their contingent funds, money for the benefit of the Red Cross, Young Men's Christian Association, and other agencies recommended by the military authorities.

On account of the great advance in the cost of printing, your Representatives have endeavored to make their report as brief as possible.

We wish especially to thank Grand Master Blood for the deep interest and valuable assistance which he rendered in all matters of general interest to the Order and of especial significance to our own Jurisdiction.

To have served the great Jurisdiction of Illinois is a distinct honor for which we are deeply grateful.

Fraternally submitted,

James Ewing Davis.

A. O. Arnold

*Grand Representatives of the Grand
Lodge of Illinois.*

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT BY GRAND MASTER.

Chicago, Nov. 12, 1918.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

The year just ended for our Order in Illinois also marks the actual beginning and ending of the Great War for our country. Our soldiers are still in camps and in foreign lands, but the worst is over and we may look forward to that happy day when they will again take their places in the civic life of our people.

We should not forget that the mere suspension of gun fire in France does not end our responsibility. Many thousands of our members are still under arms and will continue to be for many months. Our concern for them should not be slackened while they are in uniform, neither should we forget the splendid service they have rendered to our country and the honor they have achieved in which we may all share.

These Odd Fellow soldiers will need our care and protection until they have again resumed the normal life—whenever that may be. Those who have suffered from sickness or wounds should be our special care that while they have given so freely of their blood we who have stayed at home may in a small way show our appreciation of their service by giving freely of our money.

This Grand Lodge should make provision for the returning Odd Fellow soldier who is unable to care for himself. Let it never be said that while the uncertainties of war face us we were liberal, but when security seemed again assured, we lost interest in our soldiers.

The War Relief Committee should be continued and provision made for raising as much money at least as was raised the past year for relief purposes. That we have not, as yet, been called upon to pay out a larger portion, or all, of the \$40,000.00 accumulated and set aside from capitation tax this year does not mean that every dollar will not be called for. Great battles are not won without corresponding loss. We do not know at this time what our losses have been. That they are great, and that our members have sustained their full share is unquestioned.

I recommend that not less than \$40,000.00 be provided for and added to whatever balance we have on hand from the last appropriation, and that the same be used for the special relief of soldier-members, the reimbursing of Lodges for sick benefits and funeral benefits paid on account of their soldier-members, and our activities at Rockford and Waukegan, be continued until it shall appear to the War Relief Committee that further service of this nature is unnecessary.

THE INFLUENZA.

Owing to the epidemic, carrying with it appalling loss of life, Lodge meetings, as well as public gatherings of all kinds were sus-

pended in this State about October 14th. I had many engagements scheduled for the last four weeks of my term which I was compelled to cancel, and the whole Order in Illinois suspended business in conformity with the direction of the State Board of Health. At this writing many cities and towns are still closed and the epidemic is still raging, but shows indication of having about run its course.

This closing of the Lodges at a season regarded as the best for Lodge activities is a severe loss to the Order. I trust that special effort will be made by the brethren everywhere to retrieve the unavoidable loss of time as soon as may be, and that the loss may be only temporary.

VISITATIONS.

Blessed with good health, it has been possible for me to cover a good deal of ground in the past year, as well as attend to the heavy burdens of the office due to the abnormal prevailing conditions. I have made nearly sixty railroad trips, that is trips outside of Chicago during the year. Many of these trips have involved more than a day and a night, and some of them several days and nights. When in the city I have tried to visit the Chicago Lodges wherever and whenever it was thought by the members I could be of any service.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Several thousand letters from members of the Order have been received by me during the year, and only in rare instances, and for some very good reason, were they not answered the same day as received. No letter written by an Odd Fellow or Rebekah has been held on my desk awaiting reply unless I was out of the city or on account of delay caused in securing the information desired. I have assumed that if the writer regarded his subject of sufficient importance to write a letter, it was entitled to a prompt reply.

RECONSTRUCTION.

As important as has been the period through which we have just passed, the period of the world's reconstruction will be still greater. Our Order is now completing its 100th year of service in this country. That it has filled an important place in the lives of hundreds of thousands of men and women there is no question. But now comes new conditions and new problems to be met and solved. It is my hope that our beloved Order will be quick to appreciate and understand these changed conditions and so adjust itself as to continue to lead in fraternal work, realizing that we cannot rest our case on past good

works, but that we must keep step with the march of events and strive to enlarge our influence through what we do and what we stand for today and are prepared to do tomorrow.

H. M. BLOOD,
Grand Master.

DOCUMENT NO. 4.

Report by Brother Fred B. Merrills, of No. 650.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Analysis and Distribution would respectfully refer to the Committee on State of the Order the following subjects:

Our Country in War, State of the Order, Credit to those to whom credit is due, Associate Grand Officers, Official Letters, dated November 23rd, 1917, Salutatory dated November 23, 1917, Synopsis of Legislation dated December 20, 1917, U. S. Fuel Administration, letter dated January 25, 1918, letter dated January, 1918, embodying the following subject matter:

Efficiency, Diploma Extraordinary, Rituals, War Times, Home Tax, Specially Prepared Letter, all that part of the Grand Master's Report referring to the Halifax Disaster, all that part of the Grand Master's Report under the head of Team Work mentioned in his letter of February 12, 1918, also his letter dated March 25, 1918, concerning Spurious Rituals and Keep the Home Fires Burning, Anniversary Proclamation, World Wide War, Memorial Day Proclamation, Change of time of meeting in training camps as mentioned in his letter of April 15, 1918, Memorial Day proclamation, Deputies as indicated by his letter of May 3, also his entire letter of June 12, 1918, also his entire letter of Aug. 1 together with a communication to the general public of President Wilson inclosed therewith his communication concerning Food Conservation, his communication concerning Spanish Influenza, New Subordinate Lodges, Subordinate Lodges Closed, Subordinate Lodges Consolidated, Change of Name, Loss by Fire, Expense of Subordinate Members Reinstated, Centennial Committee, Resignations, Training Camps in Illinois, all that part of the Prager case except the voucher drawn to cover the expense thereof, Odd Fellows' League and Relief Board, Literature and the Press.

We also recommend that the Report of Deputy Grand Master, Grand Marshall and Grand Chaplain, the Grand Instructor and the Assistant Grand Instructor be referred to the Committee on State of the Order.

We further recommend to the Committee on State of the Order all that portion of the Grand Secretary's report entitled, Members in the Service, Chicago Historical Society, Grand Lodge Constitution Amended, Grand Master H. M. Blood.

We refer the following portion of the Grand Master's Report to the Committee on Finance:

That part of his letter dated April 15th, 1918, entitled Investment of Lodge Funds; all that part of his communication dated September 28, 1918, entitled U. S. Bonds, Liberty Bond Proper Investment; all that part of his communication dated October 14, entitled Finances of Subordinate Lodges; all that part referring to the Prager case concerning expense account of special deputy.

We recommend there be referred to a special committee on Necrology the following:

All that part of the Grand Master's report entitled Necrology pertaining to the death of Bro. Chester M. Turner, P. G. M. J Otis Humphrey and P.G.M. Columbus A. Keller, be referred to a special Committee on Necrology to consist of three Brothers to be named by the Grand Master during the Session.

We recommend there be referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Appeals the following:

All that part of the Grand Master's Report entitled Decisions.

We recommend to the Committee on Legislation the following portion of the Grand Master's Report namely:

Those subjects entitled Efficiency, Schools of Instruction, Special Deputies and Old Folks' Home.

We recommend to the Committee on Rebekah Degre the following portion of the Grand Master's Report namely:

New Rebekah Lodges, Rebekah Lodges Closed, Loss by Fire, Change of name of Rebekah Lodges.

We recommend the following to the Committee on Finance:

All that part of the Grand Secretary's Report entitled Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief Fund.

We recommend the following to the Committee on Finance:

Report of the Endowment Trustees and the report of the Grand Secretary down to the decisions of the Judiciary Committee and all of the report of the Grand Treasurer.

We recommend the following to the Committee on Finance:

Reports of the Orphans' Home Board and the Old Folks' Home Board.

Fraternally submitted,

FRED B. MERRRILLS,
GEORGE F. KOESTER,
E. R. SAYLER,
NELSON FOLEY.

Report adopted.

Representative Baird, of No. 362, moved that the following telegram be sent at once to the President of the United States:
To the President,

Washington, D. C.:

The Grand Lodge of Illinois I. O. O. F. in Annual Session at Springfield, representing 109,000 Odd Fellows of Illinois, extend to you their congratulations upon our great victory for civilization and world peace—the triumph of Right over Might.

(Signed) H. M. BLOOD, Grand Master.

(Signed) JOHN H. SIKES, Grand Secretary.

Which was adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 5.

Whereas, At the Session of the Grand Lodge held in 1917, provision was made for war conditions as far as could be anticipated, and

Whereas, The railroad rate of fare was at that time two (2c) cents per mile, and

Whereas, The Government, as a war measure, took over control of the railroads of the country and raised the passenger rate of fare from two (2c) cents to three (3c) cents per mile plus an added war tax, and

Whereas, In addition to the increase of railroad fare that must be paid by the members of this Grand Lodge to enable them to reach the city of Springfield and perform the duty assigned to them by their respective lodges, they must also pay a substantial increase in living expenses while in Springfield, and,

Whereas, We believe that it is the intention of the lodges from whence the members of the Grand Lodge come that the Brothers shall be reimbursed for their actual expenses and shall not be required to not only devote their time but stand a loss of money as well,

Whereas, The mileage at the present time is fixed by allowing five (5c) mileage one way and under present conditions this is not sufficient to pay the railroad fare of the Members of the Grand Lodge, therefore, be it

Resolved, That as an emergency measure that in addition to the five (5c) mileage one way, the Members of the Grand Lodge shall receive the sum of an amount equal to three (3c) cents mileage one way and said amount shall be appropriated immediately and disbursed at this Session of the Grand Lodge through the Mileage and Per Diem Committee at the time the Mileage and Per Diem paid to the

members of the Grand Lodge entitled to the same, and be it further

Resolved, That the Per Diem shall be fixed at three days for this session.

Fraternally submitted,

GEO. F. KOESTER.

JAMES EWING DAVIS.

CICERO J. LINDLY.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 6.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

DEAR BROTHERS.—The following revisions of the Rebekah Lodge constitution were recommended to the Rebekah State Assembly of Illinois at the session of 1917 and were approved by that body on November 21, 1917.

The Grand Lodge is respectfully petitioned to approve this action of the Assembly.

Fraternally submitted,

MAE E. CROWELL,

Secretary.

Approved by committee.

Signed E. R. SAYLER,

D. R. McLAUGHLIN,

J. E. JOHNSON,

HENRY P. GOLDSMITH,

ROBT. CLARK.

Adopted.

ARTICLE 2—OBJECTS AND PURPOSES.

Sec. 1—The objects and purposes of this lodge are:

1st—To aid in the establishment and maintenance of Homes for aged and indigent Odd Fellows and their wives, or for the widows of deceased Odd Fellows; and Homes for the care, education and support of orphans of deceased Odd Fellows.

2d—To visit the sick, relieve the distressed, and in every way to assist Subordinate and sister Rebekah lodges in kindly ministrations to the families of Odd Fellows who are in trouble or want.

3d—To cultivate and extend the social and fraternal relations of life among the lodges and the families of Odd Fellows.

Shall be revised to read as follows:

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3d—To cultivate and extend the social and fraternal relations of life among the lodges and the families of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs.

ARTICLE 3—MEMBERSHIP.

CERTIFICATE—Sec. 6—An Odd Fellow petitioning for membership in this Rebekah lodge shall present either an official certificate or visiting card in date from his Subordinate lodge, or a certificate in the following form:

Hall of Lodge.....No.....I. O. O. F.

At.....Illinois.....19..

To whom it may concern:

This certifies that Bro.....is a member of this Lodge in good standing.

(Seal)

BALLOTING.

Sec. 7—When the report of the investigating committee has been submitted to the lodge, the candidate shall be balloted for as required by law, after which the ballot box shall be passed by the warden to the vice-grand, who shall examine the ballot and inform the noble grand whether the same is favorable or unfavorable; the warden shall then pass the box to the noble grand, who shall inspect the ballot and announce the result, merely stating that the candidate is elected or rejected. If not more than two black balls appear, the candidate shall be declared elected; but if three or more appear, the candidate shall be declared rejected.

PROPOSITION FOR MEMBERSHIP, WITHDRAWAL OF

Sec. 9—A proposition for membership may be withdrawn without the consent of the lodge, at any time before the committee shall have reported thereon, but not subsequently. The admission fee shall be returned if the application is refused or withdrawn; but if the candidate shall be elected and fail to appear for admission within three months (except for causes adjudged sufficient) the election shall be void, and the deposit forfeited to the Lodge, shall be revised to read:

ARTICLE 3—MEMBERSHIP.

CERTIFICATE—Sec. 6—An Odd Fellow or his wife, mother, sister or daughter, if she be a married woman, petitioning for membership in this Rebekah lodge shall present either an official certificate or visiting card in date from his Subordinate lodge, or a certificate in the following form:

Hall of.....Lodge No.....I. O. O. F.
At.....Lodge No.....19..

To whom it may concern:

This certifies that Bro.....is a member of this lodge in good standing.

(Seal) Secretary.

BALLOTING—Sec. 7—When the report of the investigating committee has been received by the lodge, the candidate shall be balloted for as required by law, after which the ballot box shall be passed by the warden to the vice-grand, who shall examine the ballot and inform the noble grand whether the same is favorable or unfavorable; the warden shall then pass the box to the noble grand, who shall inspect the ballot and announce the result, merely stating that the candidate is elected or rejected. If not more than two black balls appear, the candidate shall be declared elected; but if three or more appear, the candidate shall be declared rejected, unless it be a candidate applying for reinstatement.

PROPOSITION FOR MEMBERSHIP, WITHDRAWAL OF

Sec. 9—A proposition for membership may be withdrawn without the consent of the lodge, at any time before the committee shall have reported thereon, but not subsequently, unless it be a petition for membership by card, which may be withdrawn at any time prior to signing the constitution. The admission fee shall be returned if the application is refused or withdrawn; but if the candidate shall be elected and fail to appear for admission within three months (except for causes adjudged sufficient) the election shall be void, and the deposit forfeited to the lodge.

ARTICLE 5—STANDING COMMITTEES.

VISITING COMMITTEE—Sec. 3—The visiting and relief committee shall consist of seven sisters, the noble grand to be chairman, whose duties shall be to visit the sick, relieve the distressed, and in every way assist Subordinate and sister Rebekah lodges in kindly ministrations to the families of Odd Fellows who are in trouble or want.



J. Johansen

Grand Conductor,
Carthage.

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They shall keep themselves at all times informed thereon, and shall report the condition of those who may be sick, in distress, in trouble or in want. Only the sisters of this lodge shall be required to watch with the sick, and etc., whenever notified to do so by the secretary or visiting committee. Services shall be by regular term: *provided*, that in cities or towns having more than two lodges the relief committee of the different lodges may, if they see fit, appoint one of their number to act with a like number from the other lodges in the town or city as a special visiting committee, whose duties shall be the care of traveling or sojourning brothers and sisters who may be sick or disabled in the town or city where such lodges are situated. Should a member of this or any other Rebekah lodge be sick or in distress, it shall be the duty of any other member of this lodge, knowing the fact, to report the case promptly to the visiting committee.

Shall be revised to read:

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ARTICLE 10—CARDS, DISMISSAL CERTIFICATES AND RESIGNATIONS.

MEMBERSHIP VOLUNTARILY TERMINATED—Sec. 1—A member of this lodge may end membership therein by taking a withdrawal card or a dismissal certificate, and a sister may end her membership in this lodge and in the Order also, by presenting a written resigna-

toin of membership. No resignation of membership or application for a withdrawal card or dismissal certificate shall be entertained from any one who is not clear on the books.

WITHDRAWAL CARDS, WHEN AND TO WHOM GRANTED.

Sec. 2—A withdrawal card may be granted to any member by vote of a majority upon ball ballot at a regular meeting. Application therefor must be made by the member in person or in writing, and shall lie over until the next regular meeting for final action; except that when an applicant has left the vicinity of the lodge, or it is his or her known purpose to leave before the next regular meeting, or to join in a petition for a new lodge, the card may be granted without delay.

Shall be revised to read:

ARTICLE 10—CARDS, DISMISSAL CERTIFICATES AND RESIGNATIONS.

MEMBERSHIP VOLUNTARILY TERMINATED—Sec. 1—A member of this lodge may end membership therein, by taking a withdrawal card or a dismissal certificate, and a member may end his or her membership in this lodge or in the Order also, by presenting a written resignation of membership. No resignation of membership or application for a withdrawal card shall be entertained from any one who is not clear on the books.

WITHDRAWAL CARD, WHEN AND TO WHOM GRANTED—

Sec. 2—A withdrawal card may be granted to any member by vote of a majority upon ball ballot, at a regular meeting. Application therefor must be made by the member in person or in writing, or by request from a lodge, under seal, setting forth the fact the member has been accepted on their official certificate or visiting card. Final action shall not be taken thereon, until the next regular meeting; except that when the applicant has left the vicinity of the lodge, or it is his or her known purpose to leave before the next regular meeting, or to join in a petition for a new Lodge, the card may be granted without delay.

Which was adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 7.

We the undersigned representatives to the Grand Bodies would respectfully suggest that the Committee on Mileage and Per Diem be

called upon to take into consideration the question of increasing the amount of Per Diem of Representatives, Committees and Grand Officers of this Grand Body from \$3.00 to \$4.00 and that the mileage be increased from five cents to eight cents per mile one way.

The arguments set forth for the increase are to the effect that the increased cost of living at hotels and all expenses generally, together with the increased cost of railroad fare, makes it unquestionably unfair that the Representatives, Committees and Grand Officers should receive the same Mileage and Per Diem as heretofore when railroad fares and hotel rates were more than 50% cheaper than they are now.

We believe it imperative, therefore, as a matter of justice that this Grand Body should make the increases as cited above to take effect at this Session of the Grand Lodge, and we therefore offer this resolution and recommend its adoption.

J. BELANGER, 238.
ANTON DICK, 782.
H. W. BEEBE, 817.
L. L. MCKINLEY, P.G.M
D. H. CHAPMAN, 782.

Not adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 8.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

We, as representatives of the Lodges of Rockford, have been requested by Soldier members who are at Camp Grant to express their appreciation and thanks to this Grand Lodge and Rebekah Assembly for the Club rooms that this Grand Lodge equipped, for their benefit and convenience, and hope that the Club rooms may be continued as long as there are any Odd Fellow Soldiers left at Camp Grant.

R. P. STACK, Rep. of Winnebago 31.
C. F. KLINE, Social 140.
JOHN A. ARNQUIST, Kent, 689.
C. R. FAGERBERG.

Adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 9.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your petitioner, the undersigned, Minonk Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 377, located at Minonk, in the State of Illinois, respectfully represents that on October 16, 1916, an order was drawn on the treasurer of the petitioner Lodge for twenty-eight dollars and eighty cents to pay the capitation tax of this petitioner from October 1, 1916, to April 1, 1917,

and that the same was duly remitted to John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary, and was duly paid. Further, your petitioner shows that on January 16, 1917, the petitioner Lodge paid to the Grand Secretary at his request the sum of twenty-seven dollars and sixty cents, being the capitation tax of your petitioner from January 1, 1917, to July 1, 1917, thereby paying the capitation tax of the petitioner for the months of January, February and March, A. D. 1917, a second time. Your petitioner further represents that a resolution was duly adopted by this petitioner Lodge that one-half of the said sum of twenty-seven dollars and sixty cents be paid under protest and said sum was so paid, the protest being that it was a sum that petitioner Lodge had already paid by their remittance of October 10, 1916, that is for the months of January, February and March, A. D. 1917. This protest was sent with the remittance of twenty-seven dollars and sixty cents to John H. Sikes, Grand Secretary.

Your petitioner, Minonk Lodge, No. 377, always loyal to all its obligations, does not however believe and hold that there is justly and rightfully due from the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. of the State of Illinois to your petitioner Minonk Lodge, No. 377, I. O. O. F., of the State of Illinois, duly chartered and working under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. of the State of Illinois, the sum of thirteen dollars and eighty cents, as hereinbefore set out and earnestly and respectfully pray that the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. of the State of Illinois, at its next regular session, to be held at the city of Springfield, Illinois, in the month of November, A. D. 1918, duly reimburse to your petitioner the sum of thirteen dollars and eighty cents.

Dated at Minonk, Illinois, this 12th day of November, A. D. 1918.

(Seal of the Lodge.)

MINONK LODGE, NO. 377, I. O. O. F.,

By SAM DOUGLAS, N.G.

Attest by WM. MEYER, R. Secy.

Not adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 10.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Among the radical transformations in the public mind wrought by the circumstances attending the world war, none would appear, at the moment, to have greater significance than the awakening in regard to the early development of American manhood.

Notwithstanding the giant progress we have made in education and the development in the arts and sciences in our institutions of learning, we have continued to plod along with the time honored notion that somehow there is a magic halo about the age of 21 years

in a man's life that cannot and must not be disturbed. Just why the number should be 21 instead of 20 or 22, no one seems to know, and yet it is assumed that in some mysterious way, when the magic hour is struck, the boy instantly becomes a man, with full intelligence and powers of responsibility and discretion.

Now, the exigencies of war have caused the conservative law-making power of our land to realize that an intelligent and vigorous youth of 18 is plenty old enough to understand the fundamental principles of liberty and equality as exemplified in our beloved nation and to bear a man's burdens and do a man's part in the defense of these principles at home, and carry them to the oppressed of the lands beyond the seas.

Thus it happens that Congress has wisely fixed the year of accountability at 18 and the world has with equal wisdom and discretion approved of that action.

With the close of the war will inevitably come the problems of reconstruction and the application of new principles and new ideas in our modes of life and government, and we hold it to be grandly true that if a boy is old enough to intelligently fight for the principles of government at 18 years of age he is old enough to intelligently vote on the problems of reconstruction that follow when the awful peril is passed.

Therefore, Be it Resolved, That it is the sense of this body that the age of suffrage in the United States should be by proper legislation consistent with the public welfare, reduced from 21 to 18 years, and we each and everyone pledge our most earnest individual efforts to bring about such legislation.

Resolved, That the Illinois Representatives to the Sovereign Grand Lodge be instructed to use their every honorable effort to have the age limit for admission into this Order also reduced from 21 to 18 years.

Respectfully submitted as per instructions from the Department Council Patriarch Militant of Illinois.

WARREN C. DARNALL,
E. R. SAYLER,
J. A. LUCAS,

Committee.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 11.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:
Greeting:

Whereas, in cities and towns having more than one Subordinate Lodge, the burden of caring for sick and distressed, visiting or sojourning members, falls on the lodges that are best known and most

willing to do their duty, thus imposing on them a task that should be borne equally by all; and,

Whereas, It has been demonstrated that this work can be more successfully performed by a central organization, and,

Whereas, Cook county has in the city of Chicago an organization known as the Odd Fellows League and Relief Board, which is supported by voluntary contributions from the lodges interested, and,

Whereas, This year has been extremely severe on the lodges interested in this work, and have contributed liberally for this purpose, but owing to the unusual number of calls on the organization we will be short of funds to fulfill our obligations, and,

Whereas, As this work is for the care and assistance of members from other jurisdictions, we would therefore appeal to the Grand Lodge to aid the lodges in this work.

WM. NATHAN,
R. J. TAYLOR, 858,
THOS. H. DOHERTY, 320.

Referred to Grand Master for consideration.

DOCUMENT NO. 12.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:
Greeting:

Whereas, The Sovereign Grand Lodge at the session of 1912 passed a resolution providing for the organization and maintenance of a General Relief Committee, in cities and towns having more than one Subordinate Lodge. (S.J. 1912, page 715.)

Whereas, In cities and towns having more than one Subordinate Lodge, the burden of caring for sick and distressed visiting or sojourning members falls on lodges that are best known and most willing to do their duty, thus imposing on them a duty that should be borne by all equally; and,

Whereas, In the larger cities and towns this relief work can be more successfully carried on by a central organization; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the by-laws of the Grand Lodge be amended by adding the following section, 11a.

Section 11a—In cities and towns having more than one Subordinate Lodge, the lodges may by a majority vote thereof, organize a General Relief Committee, composed of one or more members from each Lodge, such General Relief Committee to have charge of all sick and distressed visiting or sojourning members within the jurisdiction of such lodges, with the same authority as to paying benefits, providing watchers or nurses, and otherwise caring for such visiting or sojourning members as is given to relief committees of lodges, where no such General Re-

lief Committee exists, and such General Relief Committee shall adopt rules and regulations to govern it, subject to the approval of the Grand Lodge. The expense of such General Relief Committee shall be borne equally by all the lodges within its jurisdiction on a per capita basis, and provided that lodges in adjoining cities or towns in the same county, may become affiliated with such General Relief Committee, and sharing in the expense thereof. And provided, further, that the General Relief Committee may admit representatives from Rebekah Lodges, Encampments and Cantons.

R. J. TAYLOR, 858,
THOS. H. DOHERTY, 320.

Not adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 13.

First report by Bro. L. L. McKinley, P.G.M., of No. 41.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your committee on Libraries would respectfully report as follows:

We have carefully studied the condition of our Home Libraries and find that much of the reading matter on their shelves is almost worthless and needs to be replaced by books and magazines up to date. We would especially call the attention of this Grand Body to the fact that Brother M. P. Berry, P.G.M., has, almost alone, kept up the efficiency of our libraries by donating books; but one man alone, can not do the work needed, but should have the help of the entire membership of this Order in Illinois.

We, therefore, respectfully ask that the membership send to the Superintendent of the two Homes, books and magazines to be placed by them where they may do the most good and be of benefit to the members of the Homes.

Respectfully submitted,

L. L. McKINLEY,
J. L. McCONAUGHY,
J. P. ELLACOTT,
Committee.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 14.

Third report by Brother James Ewing Davis, P.G.M., of No. 990.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report as follows:

The annual visit of your Finance Committee to the Odd Fellows' Orphans' Home at Lincoln was made on Thursday, November 7, 1918.

Brother John J. Crowder, the Secretary of the Board of Directors, as well as Dr. J. A. Lucas, the Superintendent, were present.

During the last year the Grand Encampment has provided a splendid swimming pool for the children. Grand Patriarch North is to be congratulated for the installation of this service which will be so beneficial to our children.

The records of the Home show that they had at the Home on October 1, 1918, 98 girls and 75 boys making a total of 173. During the year the total number of children has averaged 184; 26 have been received and 31 children dismissed from the Home. At the time of this report the total membership is 178, 99 girls and 79 boys.

During the past year the Home has received \$3,906.03 from the parents and guardians of the children. This is an increase of revenue from this source of more than \$1,300.00, and we congratulate the board of directors for the special interest which they have manifested in looking after the arrearages during the past year.

We have found the expenses and disbursements of the Home for the past year to be as follows:

RECEIPTS.

October 1, 1917 balance on hand:

Maintenance	\$ 4,612.39	
Furnishings	469.42	\$ 5,081.81
Grand Lodge Appropriation		44,000.00
Collections from parents or guardian	\$ 3,906.03	
Collections, sundries	160.56	
Donations	497.42	
Sale farm products	3,659.82	8,223.83
Christopher Dahl estate		671.56
Interest on Endowment Fund	1,811.75	1,811.75
Total		\$59,788.95

DISBURSEMENTS.

Vouchers drawn on Grand Treasurer		\$54,178.21
Balance on hand		\$ 5,610.74
Maintenance	\$ 5,141.32	
Furnishing Account	469.42	
Total		\$ 5,610.74

During the past year the Rebekah Assembly has furnished and equipped the parlors at the Home with elegant rugs, chairs, davenport, and other furnishings. The Assembly certainly should be compli-

mented upon the splendid taste which they have displayed in the selection of these furnishings and we commend the Assembly for this work on their part which has added so much to the beauty and comfort of the Home.

The Board of Directors are preparing a sun room to be especially adapted to those children whose condition of health demands that they should have more sun light.

Among the receipts during the past year was the sum of \$671.56 bequest from the estate of Christopher Dahl. Brother Dahl was a member of Atlas Lodge No. 261 of Chicago, and remembered both of our Homes with a bequest of equal amounts. This splendid manifestation of practical Odd Fellowship on the part of Brother Dahl might be emulated by many brothers and sisters who wish to aid a most worthy cause.

The general health of the Home children is good and up to the present time they have had not one case of influenza at the Home. Considering the great increase in the prices during the past year the Board of Directors has kept within the appropriation and the good judgment which they have used in purchasing supplies in advance has been the means of keeping down the expenditures to as low a rate as possible. With the tremendous increase in prices of everything used in connection with the Home, the Order will be obliged to expend more money each year as long as these conditions prevail.

Faternally submitted,

Report adopted.

Signed by the Committee.

DOCUMENT NO. 15.

Fourth report by Brother Cicero J. Lindley, of No. 3.
To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report as follows:

On Friday, November 8, 1918, your committee met at the office of the Grand Secretary for the purpose of auditing his books and accounts. We found that the receipts and disbursements of his office for the six months ending October 31, 1918, were as follows:

RECEIPTS.

May 1st to November 1st, 1918.

By sale of Grand Lodge supplies.....	\$ 2,315.25
Charter fees (profit)	4.35
Orphans' Home—	
Received from Grand Treasurer, interest on	
Endowment funds	\$ 1,811.75
Donations and other source.....	3,207.82
Farm products	1,164.35
	6,183.92

Old Folks' Home—

Received from Grand Treasurer, interest on

Endowment funds	\$ 2,069.80
Donations and other sources.....	2,375.92
Farm products	642.86

5,088.58

Aged Odd Fellows' fund.....	52.49
Old Folks' Home endowment funds—donations.....	228.25
Orphans' Home endowment funds—donations.....	42.25
Orphans' Home endowment funds—repayment bonds.....	1,240.00
Rent account, Odd Fellows Herald.....	75.00
Soldiers' and Sailors' War Relief fund.....	470.45
Special relief	25.00
Grand Lodge tax	31,733.50
Home Lodge tax.....	52,804.50

Total\$100,263.54

DISBURSEMENTS.

May 1st to November 1st, 1918.

Orphans' Home warrants drawn.....	\$ 24,308.74
Old Folks' Home warrants drawn.....	28,398.41
Old Folks' Home building account, warrants drawn.....	147.10
Honorable Veteran Jewels presented.....	280.00
Past Grand Master's Jewel.....	28.00
Soldiers' and Sailors' War Relief warrants drawn.....	33,312.27
Expense of committees	533.09
Schools of instruction.....	135.14
Special deputy	35.88
Weak Lodges account.....	83.80
Special relief—warrants drawn.....	422.00
Grand Treasurer's salary.....	100.00
Sovereign Grand Lodge supplies.....	1,568.50
Grand Lodge printing.....	892.95
Official visitation	343.16
Grand Master's salary.....	600.00
Grand Master's clerk and stenographer.....	600.00
Grand Master's office expense.....	300.00
Grand Secretary's salary.....	1,250.00
Grand Secretary's clerk and stenographer.....	1,050.00
Grand Secretary's office expense.....	932.57
Fred B. Merrills, legal services, Prager case.....	75.00
Grand Secretary's expense Sovereign Grand Lodge, St. Louis, Mo	50.00

Orphans' Home endowment investment.....	1,000.00
Orphans' Home endowment investment.....	1,250.00
Interest account endowment funds Old Folks' Home.....	2,069.80
Interest account endowment funds, Orphans' Home.....	1,811.75

Total disbursements\$101,578.16

The Grand Secretary has on file in his office receipts from the Grand Treasurer covering amounts as follows:

July 10, 1918.....	\$ 20,000.00
July 18, 1918.....	20,000.00
July 27, 1918.....	15,000.00
July 31, 1918.....	1,240.00
Oct. 5, 1918.....	15,000.00
Nov. 4, 1918.....	29,023.54

Total\$100,263.54

We have examined and audited the contingent expenses of the Grand Secretary's office from May 1, 1918 to Nov. 1, 1918 and found the expenses to be as follows:

May, 1918	\$ 174.64
June, 1918	196.04
July, 1918	142.80
Aug., 1918	207.70
Sep., 1918	82.84
Oct., 1918	128.55

Total\$ 932.57

The following Lodges have been reimbursed for sick and funeral benefits paid for Soldier and Sailor members of our order since our last report, as follows:

Gerald G. Greenup, No. 357.....	\$ 36.00
Frank Stevens, No. 369.....	39.00
C. A. Morehouse, No. 529.....	53.00
Charles Bailey, No. 379.....	18.00
William Freyenhagen, No. 971.....	50.00
A. C. Edwards, No. 342.....	50.00
J. W. Johnson, No. 7.....	50.00
Noah Shride, No. 823.....	9.00
Harry R. Phelps and Archibald Gregory, No. 139.....	33.00
A. F. Reid, No. 412.....	6.00
C. J. Bagdzimas, No. 55.....	17.00
William C. Dawson, No. 391.....	39.00
Dave Barnhart, No. 391.....	9.00
Fred L. Nichols, No. 116.....	9.00
Enoch A. King, No. 341.....	36.00

James A. Swearington, No. 850.....	50.00
A. E. Miller, No. 446.....	39.00
W. O. Bryan, No. 480.....	15.00
John W. White, No. 166.....	45.00
Frank B. Massey, No. 145.....	30.00
Ira N. Williams, No. 972.....	6.00
John E. Neucomb, No. 965.....	33.00
W. A. Priebe, No. 171.....	4.00
Hallie E. Warden, No. 886.....	75.00
Webb Medlin, No. 433.....	36.00
Fred J. Larson, No. 219.....	24.00
J. R. McGowan, No. 611.....	15.00
Geo. F. Weber, No. 626.....	15.00
E. Tracy Smith, No. 208.....	50.00
Wilbar Killion, No. 77.....	50.00
Roy Ammerman, No. 171.....	8.00
Chas. H. Bailey, No. 379.....	24.00
Alfred M. Dohrs, No. 727.....	9.00
William L. Beebe, No. 1029.....	33.00
Geo. B. Kinkade, No. 697.....	78.00
Robert Spillman, No. 275.....	15.00
Clay Seaton, No. 1000.....	24.00
Geo. W. Atwood, No. 302.....	39.00
Charles Augustus, No. 614.....	18.00
Roy Rodgihrio, No. 685.....	12.00
Chas. E. Pickering, No. 814.....	3.00
Arnie Richard, No. 442.....	21.00
John Colombara, No. 889.....	12.00

Total\$ 1,237.00

Your Committee beg leave to report that quite a number of the Lodges still persist in being delinquent in their reports. Much unnecessary work could be avoided if their reports could be sent on time.

Fraternally submitted,

Report adopted.

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

DOCUMENT NO. 16.

Fifth report by Brother James Ewing Davis, P.G.M., of No. 990.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report as follows:

We visited the Old Folks' Home on Saturday, November 9, 1917, for the purpose of auditing the accounts and inspecting the Home.

We found the dining room had been decorated and refurnished throughout, the expense of which had been defrayed by the Rebekah Assembly, to which this home is deeply indebted.

The Secretary of the Board met with your Finance Committee.

There were admitted during the year, 32; withdrawn, 12; deceased, 31; discharged, 1; expelled, 1—present membership, 173; Brothers, 122; Sisters 51.

We found the receipts and disbursements as follows:

RECEIPTS.

Balance Maintenance Account	\$ 2,175.89	
Chapel Fund	25.81	
Organ Fund	846.45	
Building Account	373.72	
Trust Account	4.00	
		\$ 3,425.87
Grand Lodge Appropriation	\$ 46,000.00	
Interest on Endowment Fund.....	2,069.80	
Collections	2,957.24	
Donations	512.43	
Sale farm products.....	2,256.52	
		\$ 53,795.99
Total		\$ 57,221.86

DISBURSEMENTS.

Maintenance Account	\$ 56,339.31	
Building Account	336.11	
Total		\$ 56,675.42
Balance on hand		\$ 546.44
Made up as follows:		
Chapel Fund	\$ 25.81	
Organ Fund	846.45	
Building Account Fund.....	37.61	
Trust Account	4.00	
	\$ 913.87	
Maintenance Deficit	367.43	
	\$ 546.44	

TRUSTEE'S TRUST ACCOUNT.

Balance on hand as per last report.....\$ 5,201.00

Received for sundry members as follows:

C. H. Halstead	\$ 7.00
Mrs. Sarah J. Trowbridge.....	192.00
John Cronin	78.00
W. S. Tandy	45.00
R. B. Day	4.00
Wm. T. Foreman	78.00
Regina Schaller	25.00
Christian Hauser	126.00
Fletcher Poole	2.00
O. J. Svedman	13.00
Louis Mueller	12.00
J. T. Warton	27.00
Louis Haegel	25.00
Sidney H. Rice.....	100.60
Charles Spaits	1,274.49
Anna Cruse	100.00
Fred Seathoff	96.00
M. S. Jordan	4.00
N. P. Eckstrom	11.00
James L. Dunning	3.00
Rudolph Bandelao	5.00
Garner Oliver	35.00
Elsie A. Roan	22.00
Mary A. Ferguson	233.20
James Hory	3.00
Christopher Dahl	581.40
Wm. Lyon	8.00
	\$ 3,110.69

Total \$ 8,311.69

AMOUNTS DISBURSED DURING YEAR.

Allowance to members:

Regina Schaller	\$ 8.00
Aurora Hubbard	8.00
Sidney H. Rice.....	33.80
Chas Spaits	10.00
Anna Cruse	9.00
	\$ 68.80

To Charles Spaits \$ 100.00 |

To Attorney fees in Christopher

Dahl Estate	50.00	
To Taxes J. T. Warton property.....	22.62	
		\$ 172.62

To Maintenance Fund:

Mrs. S. J. Trowbridge.....	\$ 192.00	
John Cronin	78.00	
W. S. Tandy	30.00	
Anna Kindt	78.00	
David Hamilton	107.50	
Wm. T. Foreman.....	78.00	
John J. Boyd.....	208.00	
Regina Schaller	127.00	
Hugh B. Gaston.....	78.00	
C. Hauser	126.00	
Sadie Simmons	78.00	
J. T. Warton.....	4.38	
Aurora Hubbard	78.00	
Sidney H. Rice.....	66.80	
Charles Spaits	78.00	
Fred Seathoff	96.00	
Mary A. Ferguson.....	78.00	
		1,581.68

To Endowment Fund—

C. H. Halstead.....	\$ 7.00	
W. S. Tandy.....	15.00	
R. B. Day.....	4.00	
Regina Schaller	25.00	
Fletcher Poole	2.00	
O. J. Svedman	13.00	
Louis Mueller	12.00	
Louis Haegel	25.00	
M. S. Jordon.....	4.00	
N. P. Eckstrom.....	11.00	
James L. Dunning.....	3.00	
Rudolph Bandelao	5.00	
Garner Oliver	35.00	
Elsie A. Roan.....	22.00	
James Hory	3.00	
		186.00

Total\$ 2,009.10

Balance on hand.....\$ 6,302.59

Which is made up as follows:

Ann Kindt	\$ 87.00
Elizabeth Tuffley	85.00
John J. Boyd.....	3,709.00
Hugh B. Gaston.....	35.00
Sadie Simmons	200.50
Aurora Hubbard	314.00
Charles Spaits	1,086.49
Anna Cruse	91.00
Mary A. Ferguson.....	155.20
Christopher Dahl	531.40
Wm. Lyon	8.00
Total	\$ 6,302.59

All of which is on deposit with the State National Bank, Mattoon, Illinois, as will appear from the following letter to your chairman:
"November 9, 1918.

Mr. George F. Koester,
Chairman Finance Committee,
Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F.,

Chicago, Illinois.

Dear Sir—We beg to inform you that the balance to the credit of J. W. Yantis, Secretary, Board of Trustees, I. O. O. F. Home, is \$6,302.59.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK T. MOLONEY,

President."

Fraternally submitted,

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 17.

Sixth report by Brother George F. Koester, of No. 601.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report as follows:

We made our semi-annual visit to the office of our Grand Treasurer, M. P. Berry, at Carthage, Illinois, Thursday, November 14th, 1918, for the purpose of auditing his books and accounts. We checked them, verifying his statement of receipts and disbursements, and give herewith a summary of same, showing cash and securities in his possession at this time.

We recommend that all cancelled vouchers paid by the Grand Treasurer be filed with the Grand Secretary for future reference.



C. C. Gunn

Grand Guardian,
Greenville.

RECEIPTS.

May 1, 1918, to November 1, 1918.

Cash on hand as per last report.....\$ 70,403.84

Received from Grand Secretary as follows:

General fund	\$ 34,128.10	
Special relief fund.....	25.00	
Aged Odd Fellows fund.....	52.49	
Old Folks' Home fund.....	5,088.58	
Old Folks' Home endowment fund.....	228.25	
Orphans' Home fund	6,183.92	
Orphans' Home endowment fund.....	1,282.25	
Home tax fund.....	52,804.50	
Soldiers' and Sailors' war relief fund.....	470.45	
		100,263.54

Interest Collected:

Old Folks' Home interest account.....\$	640.00	
Orphans' Home interest account.....	256.80	
		896.80

Total receipts\$171,564.18

DISBURSEMENTS.

May 1, 1918, to November 1, 1918.

General Fund	\$ 8,858.09
Special Relief Fund	422.00
Old Folks' Home Fund.....	28,386.97
Old Folks' Home Building Account.....	147.10
Old Folks' Home interest account.....	2,069.80
Orphans' Home Fund	24,303.54
Orphans' Home Endowment Fund.....	2,250.00
Orphans' Home interest account.....	1,811.75
Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief Fund.....	33,084.27
	\$101,333.52

Also the following last term vouchers:

OLD FOLKS' HOME.

No. 4785	Wheat Med. Co.....	\$ 12.54
No. 4791	A. J. Mourer.....	13.00
		\$ 25.54

SPECIAL RELIEF.

No. 4809 W. I. Ross.....\$ 10.00

35.54

Total disbursements\$101,369.06

Cash balance on hand November 1, 1918.....\$ 70,195.12

After making the following transfers from Home Tax Fund to:

Old Folks' Home (1-2 1918 Appropriation).....\$ 23,000.00

Orphans' Home (1-2 1918 Appropriation)..... 22,000.00

From General Fund to:

Soldiers' and Sailors' War Relief Fund (1-2 1918 Appropriation) \$ 20,000.00

Leaves balance in hands of Grand Treasurer in various accounts as follows:

General Fund\$ 32,577.42

Special Relief 1,653.85

Aged Odd Fellows' Fund..... 2,388.89

Old Folks' Home Fund..... 358.88

Old Folks' Home Building Fund..... 226.62

Old Folks' Home Trust Fund..... 4.00

Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund..... 742.20

Orphans' Home Fund..... 5,632.84

Orphans' Home Excursion Fund..... 254.88

Orphans' Home Endowment Fund..... 491.51

Soldiers' and Sailors' War Relief Fund..... 12,376.93

Home Tax Fund..... 13,486.00

Total \$ 70,195.12

Following vouchers issued in past six months have not yet been presented for payment:

OLD FOLKS' HOME.

No. 5566, A. J. Mourer.....\$ 11.44

ORPHANS' HOME.

No. 5507, Mrs. Lottie Sherrer.....\$ 5.20

SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' WAR RELIEF FUND.

No. 5574\$ 8.00

No. 5576 9.00

No. 5579 15.00

No. 5580 24.00

No. 5581 39.00

No. 5582 18.00

No. 5583	12.00	
No. 5584	3.00	
No. 5600	100.00	
		\$ 228.00

Total\$ 244.64

Also the following vouchers issued are still unpaid:

OLD FOLKS' HOME.

No. 2104, McCusker and Albert.....\$ 31.62

ORPHANS' HOME.

No. 3311, Wm. Vopel.....\$ 9.00
No. 3531, Deaconess Hospital.....7.90

\$ 16.90

SPECIAL RELIEF.

No. 4810, Mrs. Charles Anderson.....7.50

Total\$ 56.02

Voucher No. —, \$189.01 was in error charged to Old Folks' Home Fund same should be charged to Old Folks' Home Building Account. A cross entry should be made to correct this error.

During the past six months the following investments were made:
Orphans' Home Endowment Fund:

U. S. 3rd Liberty Loan, 4¼% Bonds.....\$ 1,000.00
U. S. 4th Liberty Loan, 4¼% Bonds.....1,250.00

Soldiers' and Sailors' War Relief Fund:

U. S. 3rd and 4th Liberty Loan, 4¼% Bonds.....30,000.00

The Grand Treasurer exhibited to us the following evidence of cash held by him belonging to the Grand Lodge:

Cashier's Check No. 283792, dated St. Louis, Mo., November 12, 1918, of Third National Bank of St. Louis, payable to M. P. Berry, Grand Treasurer, I. O. O. F., for \$15,000.00, signed D. J. Griffen, Cashier.

Cashier's Check No. 18393, dated Quincy, Ill., November 12, 1918, of State Savings Loan & Trust Company, payable to M. P. Berry, Grand Treasurer, I. O. O. F., for \$30,000.00, signed Thomas Burrows, Asst. Cashier.

Certificate of Deposit No. 4608, dated Carthage, Illinois, November 12th, 1918, of Dime Savings Bank, payable to M. P. Berry, Grand Treasurer, I. O. O. F., for \$25,195.12, signed C. E. Hubbard, Asst. Cashier.

The following is a list of securities in his possession on November 1, 1918:

Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund:

Roy Erickson, 6% mortgage.....\$ 1,900.00
Frank Ives, 5% mortgage.....8,000.00

A. C. Sells, 5½% mortgage.....	5,500.00	
Ida M. Darnall, 5% mortgage (net).....	3,100.00	
Emmett G. Thompson 5% Mortgage.....	2,000.00	
Total Mortgages		20,500.00
Jacksonville 4% Bonds.....	\$ 2,000.00	
Henderson Co., 6% Drainage Bond.....	500.00	
Scott Co., 6% Drainage Bonds.....	4,000.00	
Peoria 3½% Park Bonds.....	2,000.00	
Auburn Township 5% School Bonds.....	2,000.00	
Rushville 5% Paving Bonds.....	3,700.00	
Georgetown 5% Improvement Bonds.....	1,500.00	
School District No. 57, Lawrence Co. 6% Bonds	3,500.00	
3rd Liberty Loan, 4¼% Bonds.....	7,550.00	
Total Bonds	\$ 26,750.00	
Total Mortgages and Bonds in Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund	\$ 47,250.00	

Orphans' Home Endowment Fund:

Margaret A. Morse, 5½% mortgage.....	\$ 5,000.00	
Isabelle Hubbell, 6% mortgage.....	3,300.00	
Carl V. Hansen, 5½% mortgage.....	8,000.00	
Christian J. Blackert, 5% mortgage.....	7,000.00	
Emmett G. Thompson, 5% mortgage.....	2,000.00	
James and Joseph McBride, 5½% mortgage..	7,000.00	
Total Mortgages	\$ 32,300.00	
Jacksonville 4% Bonds.....	\$ 4,000.00	
Scott Co., 6% Drainage Bonds.....	2,000.00	
Peoria 3½% Park Bonds.....	1,000.00	
Auburn Township 5% School Bonds.....	2,500.00	
School Dist. No. 57 Lawrence Co. 6% Bonds..	1,000.00	
U. S. 3rd Liberty Loan, 4¼% Bonds.....	1,000.00	
U. S. 4th Liberty Loan, 4¼% Bonds.....	1,250.00	
Total Bonds	\$ 12,750.00	
Total Mortgages and Bonds in Orphans' Home Endowment Fund	\$ 45,050.00	

Soldiers' and Sailors' War Relief Fund:

U. S. 3rd and 4th Liberty Loan, 4¼% Bonds.....	\$ 30,000.00
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RECAPITULATION.

Total cash, sundry accounts.....\$ 70,195.12

Securities:

Old Folks' Home Endowment Fund.....\$ 47,250.00

Orphans' Home Endowment Fund..... 45,050.00

Soldiers' and Sailors' War Relief Fund..... 30,000.00

Total cash and Securities.....\$192,495.12

Fraternally submitted,

Report adopted.

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

DOCUMENT NO. 18.

Seventh report by Brother Cicero J. Lindley, P.G.M., of No. 3.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report as follows:

Your committee reports that, as it is necessary for the Grand Treasurer to disburse the funds for mileage and per diem to the Representatives to the Grand Lodge, the exact amount of which is not at this time known, we would, therefore, recommend that a voucher be drawn on the Grand Treasurer, in the sum of eighteen thousand dollars (\$18,000.00), for the purpose of paying the mileage and per diem of the Representatives; the surplus, if any, to be turned back to the treasury of the Grand Lodge and the shortage, if any, be made up by an additional voucher on the Grand Treasurer.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee.

On motion the rules were suspended and the report was adopted unanimously.

DOCUMENT NO. 19.

November 16, 1918.

MR. H. M. BLOOD,
Springfield, Illinois.

Dear Sir and Brother:

Just a few lines to let you know that we cannot thank you enough for the good work of the Illinois Odd Fellows in looking after the Brethren at Rockford, (Camp Grant), as some of our Worthy Brethren were among the unfortunate to be on the sick list. I want to say frankly that they were given special attention and received a very loyal treatment according to letters received from our Brethren, even though peace has been declared I sincerely hope that you will keep up the good work at least until they get all the boys out, as I really believe that we will be in need of the good work as much as before

for sometime to come and think that you have and sincerely hope that you continue to play a wonderful part in assisting the needy.

With best wishes.

Yours Fraternally,

COLLINSVILLE LODGE 712 A. F. A. M.,

Frank W. Needle, Secretary.

Ordered printed in the Journal.

DOCUMENT NO. 20.

Brother Owen Scott, P.G.M., presented the following:

AMEND GRAND LODGE BY-LAWS BY ADDING AFTER ART. 3
THE FOLLOWING ARTICLE:

ARTICLE 4.

134½. DISTRICTS—Section 1.—The State of Illinois shall be divided into districts, having regard to population, geographical location and convenience. The Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master and Grand Secretary shall form the districts. The officers named shall make such changes in the districts as conditions require.

Section 2.—One District Deputy Grand Master shall be appointed and commissioned by the Grand Master in each district, the term of his service to be one year from the December 1st succeeding his appointment. He shall be a resident of his district and a member of a lodge therein. He shall be responsible alone to the Grand Master, obey his instructions and perform such duties as are required by the Grand Master or the laws of the Grand Lodge. The Grand Master at his discretion, shall have the power at any time to remove any District Deputy. The District Deputy shall be subject to the disciplinary jurisdiction of his lodge the same as any other member.

Section 3.—Every District Deputy Grand Master shall visit each lodge in his district at least once each year. He shall thoroughly examine its records and accounts and ascertain the condition of the lodge and report the same to the Grand Master with such recommendations as conditions may warrant.

Section 4.—On the 15th of October of each year every District Deputy Grand Master shall make a report to the Grand Master of his official acts during the year. He shall set forth the condition of the lodges in his district and suggest such measures as he may deem to be for the general good of the order. The Grand Secretary shall furn-

ish a blank on which this report shall be made. A summary of the reports of the District Deputy Grand Masters shall be published in the Journal.

Section 5.—Officers of Subordinate Lodges shall be installed at the times fixed in the Subordinate Constitution. The District Deputy Grand Master shall be the installing officer when present. When the District Deputy Grand Master is unable, for any reason, personally to install the officers, he may authorize, in writing, some qualified Past Grand to act for him at such installation.

It shall be the duty of the Grand Secretary to transmit the semi-annual password and his instructions thereon to the Secretary of each lodge. The Secretary shall give the same to the installing officer, whose duty it shall be to communicate the password to the Noble Grand immediately after his installation.

Amendment adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 21.

Lovington, Ill., Nov. 19, 1918.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Whereas, One of the greatest wars in the history of the world is coming to a close, and in which our own country has played a very important part and many members of our splendid Order have been in the thick of the battles and that Odd Fellowship in a sincere patriotic desire to keep the sparks of patriotism ever burning:

Therefore, be it Resolved, That during every anniversary program of Subordinate Lodges the Declaration of Independence be read and the national anthem "America" be sung.

M. W. MUNCH,
Representative Lovington Lodge, 593.

No action taken.

DOCUMENT NO. 22.

First report by A. Otis Arnold, of No. 12, of the Committee on Legislation.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your committee having carefully considered the subject matter of the resolution presented by P.G.M. Owen Scott, Document No. 20, concur therein and recommend that it be adopted.

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 23.

Second report by Brother Henry Debus, of No. 540.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Legislation would respectfully report as follows:

We your Committee have examined that portion of the Grand Master's Report entitled "The Old Folks' Home" and find that the subject matter therein contained involves a very big proposition and of vital interest to the order, and we recommend that no action be taken on it this year but that the incoming Grand Master give the subject careful consideration during his term and report to the next session of the Grand Lodge his findings, and that he shall go into the feasibility of increasing the capacity of the Hospital, and ascertain as far as possible the calls that are made upon the order which cannot be accommodated within our present facilities.

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Report adopted.

There being no further business, the Grand Lodge adjourned until 9:00 o'clock Wednesday morning.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1918

REPRESENTATIVES' HALL, STATE HOUSE.

November 20, 1918, 9 o'clock A. M.

The GRAND LODGE met pursuant to adjournment, Grand Master Blood in the chair.

Present: All Grand Officers with a quorum of representatives.

The Grand Marshal with his assistants, having examined the members present, reported all correct.

The Opening Ode was sung and the Grand Chaplain offered prayer.

The Grand Lodge was then declared regularly opened for the transaction of business.

The Daily Journal of Tuesday was distributed by the Grand Marshal and his assistants.

Bro. M. P. Berry, Grand Treasurer presented to the Grand Lodge through the Grand Master, the sum of One Thousand Dollars, Five Hundred Dollars to be applied to the Endowment Fund for the Old Folks' Home and Five Hundred Dollars to the Endowment Fund for the Orphans' Home. It was stated by Brother Berry that this is the proceeds of the interest on Grand Lodge funds in his possession during the past year.

Representative Phillips of 308 moved that a rising vote of thanks be extended to Brother Berry. Motion carried.

Brother Lucas, P.G.M., presented to Grand Master Blood, as his personal property, a gavel made by one of the boys from White City Lodge in the Orphans' Home. This was gratefully accepted by the Grand Master.

The Grand Lodge proceeded to consideration of reports from the Committee on Finance contained in the Grand Officers' reports.

The first and second reports of said committee were considered and adopted.

The first report of the Endowment Trustees found in the Grand Officers' reports was considered and adopted.

Thereupon the Grand Master ordered a recess during which time were admitted a committee from the Rebekah State Assembly, bearing the greetings of the Rebekahs. They were escorted to seats on the rostrum.

These were: Myrtle Tandy, P.P., Caritas, No. 635, Jacksonville; Dora L. North, P.P., Iantha, No. 413, Farmer City; Lillian Stewart, P.P., Elite No. 2, Chicago; Josephine Lucas, Orphans' Home, No. 9, Lincoln.

Services in memory of our fraternal dead followed:

The Grand Lodge sang, "Nearer My God to Thee." The Grand Chaplain offered prayer.

COLUMBUS A. KELLER.

Past Grand Sire.

Past Grand Master M. P. Berry, from the Special Committee on Memorials, made the following address:

"An honest man has gone to rest
As ever God with his image, blessed.

The friend of man, the friend of truth,
The friend of age, the friend of youth;

Few hearts, like his, with virtue warmed,
Few heads, with knowledge so informed.

If there's another world, he lives in bliss;
If there is none, he made the best of this."

Past Grand Sire and Past Grand Master, C. A. Keller, departed this life, at his home in San Antonio, Texas, on Feb. 21, 1918.

Brother Keller was born in Mount Vernon, Illinois, on Nov. 24, 1851. He received a common school education in his native town,

and later graduated from McEndree College, in Lebanon, Illinois. Then, having chosen the law as his work for life, he graduated from the Ann Arbor University, in Michigan, in 1873, and was admitted to the bar in Illinois, the same year.

In the same year, he was married to Miss Nellie F. Raymond, who lived only a few years. He was married again, to Miss Essie F. Haynes, in San Antonio, Texas. He began the practice of his profession, in his home town of Mount Vernon, and in a short time, was elected Judge of the County Court, of his county.

Brother Keller was made an Odd Fellow in Marion Lodge, No. 13, on May 13, 1875. He loved Odd Fellowship, and his rise in the Order was rapid. He entered this Grand Lodge in 1878; in 1879, he was chosen Grand Marshal; in 1880, Grand Warden; and in 1882, was installed Grand Master of the Grand Lodge. Very many of the older members of the Grand Lodge, will remember him well; very few of the younger ones will. In 1885, he was elected to the office of Grand Representative, but having removed to Texas, the same year, he was prevented from serving, at that time.

In 1885, he located in San Antonio, Texas, and at once, transferred his membership to that Jurisdiction, and in 1888, became a member of the Grand Lodge of Texas. In 1892, the Grand Lodge of Texas sent him, as its representative, to the Sovereign Grand Lodge. Here, he soon became a favorite.

Brother Keller was a natural born Odd Fellow. God created him with the principles of Odd Fellowship. He loved its principles, and its precepts, which accounts for his rapid rise in two Jurisdictions of our Order.

In 1912, Brother Keller was elected Deputy Grand Sire, and in 1914, he was chosen Grand Sire of the world. His education and qualifications especially fitted him for this position, and his record as Grand Sire is an honor to both Illinois and Texas. He was a strong advocate of every righteous measure, he gave his undivided attention to every detail of his office, he was an eloquent speaker, and was always listened to with rapt interest. He possessed a lovely disposition, and was a sincere Christian man. He nobly fought, and overcame many vicissitudes of life. Few men, perhaps none, ever rose so rapidly in our Order, in two Jurisdictions. This could not have been done, had he not been an Odd Fellow in spirit and in truth.

He was a good man, a good citizen, a good Odd Fellow, a good Christian, and in the language of Past Grand Sire Pinkerton, wore, through all his days, "The white flower of a blameless life."

The Grand Lodge of Illinois is proud to do him honor, and to embalm his name and memory in the archives of this jurisdiction.

Our Brother is dead, and yet, what is death?

"To live in hearts we leave behind,

Is not to die."

J OTIS HUMPHREY.

Past Grand Master.

Bro. Owen Scott, P.G.M., offered the following in memory of Bro. J. Otis Humphrey.

"His life was so gentle and the elements so mixed in him, that all Nature might stand up and say to all the world, 'This was a man.'"

Few men stand out as a more conspicuous example of Shakespeare's definition of a man than J Otis Humphrey. A thorough student, an unselfish publicist, a wise jurist, a brilliant orator, a loyal fraternalist, a devoted Christian, a good citizen and a successful man of affairs—these are seldom combined in one person as completely as in him whom this day we honor.

In whatever direction the versatile mind of Brother Humphrey was turned his enthusiasm and capacity for accomplishment made success a certainty. In no turn or thought of life was he more loyal and devoted than to his church. In fact for a generation he was the leading factor in the Central Baptist Church of Springfield. While tolerant and liberal in his views of religion, he stood out distinctly for the dignity of his church. Devotion to other interests and activities of life was never permitted to obscure his intense loyalty to the affairs of organized religion. He never overlooked the religious phases of life. Death to him was "That golden key that opens the palace of eternity."

Second only to his church was his service to fraternity. As a field for the exercise of his talents in helpfulness to others, he allied himself most actively with the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. He was also a member of the Masonic Fraternity and was ever ready to meet the duties and bear the responsibilities imposed by this great brotherhood. His active work as a fraternalist, however, centered in Odd Fellowship. Here he was ever a conspicuous personality, first in his lodge, then in his Grand Lodge and after that as a representative in the Sovereign Grand Lodge.

He was initiated into Odd Fellowship by Auburn Lodge No. 543, located at Auburn, Illinois on March 31, 1877. On November 11, 1880 he united with Springfield Lodge No. 465, located at Springfield, Ill. He speedily became one of the leaders of this Order.

In 1886 he was elected as Deputy Grand Master, without having served as Grand Warden as is the usual course. The next year he was advanced to the exalted position of Grand Master of this Grand Lodge. For six years from 1893 to 1899 he, with Bro. Edwin S. Conway, represented the Grand Lodge in the highest body of Odd Fellows in the world, the Sovereign Grand Lodge. No abler representative than Brother Humphrey ever sat in this great body of selected men.

His choicest and most loving service, however, was to the children in the Orphans' Home at Lincoln. Here for many years he gave his heart and brain to those who were bereft of their natural protectors. For fifteen years he was chairman of the board at Lincoln and practically managed the Home during this time. Many of the best features of this unrivalled exhibition of true fraternity are the result of Brother Humphrey's love, thought and care. In all Odd Fellow activities he was a dominant factor and always a leader.

As a citizen J Otis Humphrey was always found on the right side of all public movements. Prior to his elevation to the position as Judge of the Federal Court at Springfield he was active in politics. While a party man, he yet stood for only the best in the political arena. He found that loyalty to party did not require him to be other than a good citizen.

He was born in Morgan County, Illinois, Dec. 30, 1850. After graduating from Shurtleff College at Alton, he became a lawyer and in 1897 was appointed United States District Attorney by President McKinley. Four years later, in 1901, he was appointed Judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Illinois and held this position at the time of his death, June 14, 1918.

In consequence of his judicial position he withdrew from many of the activities in which he was formerly engaged. However, his interest in Odd Fellowship was only slightly abated during his judicial service. On many occasions, almost to the day when he crossed the bar, he was found in the fraternal harness when occasion required. His words of burning eloquence yet linger in the ears of those who have been given the privilege of hearing him. Though we see him no more he is not dead, for—

"There is no death! What seems so is transition;

This life of mortal breath is but the suburb of the life elysian,
Whose portal we call death."

His life, his influence, his high character, will remain as a benediction first and greatest of all to his family, but next to this to the great fraternities that honored him and that he loved and greatly esteemed. As a citizen and Christian gentleman of the highest type, he will long linger in the thought and memory of those with whom he mingled.

As our friend and Brother we can say—

"Sustained and soothed

By an unfaltering trust approach thy grave,

Like one who wraps the drapery of his couch

About him and lies down to pleasant dreams."

CHESTER M. TURNER, P.G.R.

Bro. James Ewing Davis, P.G.M., offered the following as a memorial to Bro. Chester M. Turner.

Chester M. Turner was born on Nov. 1, 1861, at Toulon, Stark County, Illinois. He was the son of Benjamin Turner and Ruth Myers Turner. The Turner family was one of the oldest and best known families of Stark County, the father having moved to Stark County from Delaware in 1839.

Judge Turner, as he was known by all his friends, was reared on a farm adjoining Toulon and attended the Public Schools there and was the first to graduate from the Toulon High School on May 16th, 1879. Later he entered Knox College, at Galesburg and graduated in 1884. Returning to Toulon, he took up the study of law in the office of Martin Shallenberger and was admitted to the bar in 1888. He practiced law in Toulon for two years and in June, 1890, moved to Cambridge, Illinois. He had been a practitioner at the Henry County Bar constantly since that time, being at the time of his death, one of the leading and best known lawyers in that part of the state.

Bro. Turner was elected Judge of the County Court of Henry County in 1899 and held that office for four years. His judicial service was characterized by all that marks the able jurist whose knowledge of the law is comprehensive, whose reasoning is sound and whose deductions are logical.

On Saturday evening, April 27th, 1918, about 6 o'clock, while sitting at his desk concluding his day in the office, he became suddenly ill and shortly sank into unconsciousness, from which he never roused. He was removed to his home and lived until 11 o'clock that evening.

He was intensely patriotic. The night before he had addressed a meeting in Woodhull, and during his last day had been busily engaged with the Executive Committee of Henry County to effectively promote the work of the Liberty Loan.

In his home town, where he was known, he was called upon to serve the public as Trustee and President of the Town Board of Trustees several terms. He was also President of the Board of Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Judge Turner was also for several years President of the Federation of Bar Association for the Fifth District of the Supreme Court composed of ten counties. He was for many years Secretary of the Henry County Bar Association.

On June 6th, 1889, Bro. Turner was married to Miss Emma F. Follett of Toulon, Illinois. Of this marriage three children were born, Helen M. Long, deceased, wife of Dr. Lester L. Long, Ruth A. Carlson, wife of Clarence W. Carlson of Cambridge, Illinois and Benjamin Follett Turner.

Judge Turner was President of the Board of Education, Director and First Vice-President of Farmers' National Bank of Cambridge, and in a fraternal way, he served on many prominent and important committees. At the time of his passing he was the Treasurer of the Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F., of Illinois, a member of the Judiciary Committee of the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Illinois, and for ten (10) consecutive years served on the Endowment Fund Committee, I. O. O. F., where he was called upon to pass upon the title of legal papers calling for investment of many thousands of dollars; and never once did he err in this work.

Brother Turner was a great admirer of the fellowship afforded by membership in fraternal orders; and nothing pleased him more than to know personally the layman of these orders who he was always happy in meeting.

He was an Odd Fellow and Mason, having passed through the Chairs of the Local Lodges, besides the higher honors of being singled out for similar honors in the Grand Encampment of I. O. O. F., of Illinois, and always was a regular attendant of the Local Lodge when at home.

Bro. Turner was of a genial social disposition, a man who prized the friendship of his associates and as a citizen he was a friend of all, and we know of no one who will be missed more from the every day life of his home town than Chester M. Turner.

In community affairs, he had long been prominent and influential. None in distress were ever turned from his door and no worthy cause ever found him other than a willing and liberal giver. His co-operation has been a potent force for good in many lines of public progress.

He was a member in good standing of Cambridge Lodge No. 199, I. O. O. F.; Cambridge Rebekah Lodge No. 517, I. O. O. F.; Cambridge Encampment No. 188, I. O. O. F.; Kewanee Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F., Past Grand Patriarch of the Grand Encampment of Illinois, I. O. O. F.; Past Grand Representative of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F.; Cambridge Lodge No. 49, A. F. & A. M.; Geneseo Chapter No. 12, R. A. M.; Peoria Consistory of Peoria; Kewanee Commandary

of Knight Templar; Mohammed Temple of Mystic Shrine of Peoria; Mystic Chapter, O. E. S. No. 160.

The funeral services in honor of Judge Turner were conducted at the home on Monday afternoon, at four o'clock, and were in charge of Dr. R. Emory Buckey, pastor of the Methodist church who read the scriptures and offered prayer. The Male Quartette consisting of Dr. W. H. Conser, Dr. O. W. Eaton, W. E. Eaton and August Alsen sang, "Lead Kindly Light." Dr. Buckey read the obituary and made an address on behalf of the church. Judge Leonard E. Teleen made an able and impressive address on behalf of the Bar Association. Rev. L. A. Miller, pastor of the Baptist church, in an appropriate and sympathetic manner spoke on behalf of the Independent Order of Odd Fellowship. Bro. D. C. Stocking, of Rockford, represented the Grand Encampment of Illinois in language both fitting and beautiful. The Masonic Order was represented by Mr. Walter A. Olson whose sentiments and diction did credit to the Fraternity on behalf of which he spoke. As the closing number, Mr. C. B. Taylor of Rock Island sang, "Face to Face."

At an early hour Tuesday morning, the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs met at the home and escorted the procession to the railroad station. An extra coach was provided to convey to Toulon the friends, members of the bar, fraternal orders, and a large number of people from different points, who wished to attend the last services in honor of Judge Turner.

On Tuesday forenoon funeral services were held in the Methodist Episcopal church at Toulon and were in charge of Dr. Buckey who read the scriptures. The choir sang "Faith of Our Fathers" after which prayer was offered by the Rev. Fletcher DeClarke, pastor of the church in which the services were being held. Doctor Buckey read the obituary and spoke on behalf of the church. Mr. James K. Blish of Kewanee made an excellent address on behalf of the Bar Association. Bro. H. M. Blood, Grand Master of Illinois, spoke as the representative of the Independent Order of Odd Fellowship in a manner long to be remembered. The Grand Encampment was represented in the person of Bro. J. A. Lucas, of Lincoln, who spoke in language of intimate friendship. The choir sang "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" and the burial services at the cemetery were conducted by the Order of Odd Fellowship.

The floral tributes were many and beautiful. At the thoughtful request of the family probably \$100.00 that would have been spent for flowers, is to be invested in a Liberty Bond for certain needy children of Cambridge.



J. T. North

Grand Herald,
Farmer City.

No man in his own county knew more of its people, no man was better and more generally liked and no man will be more missed. He left us in the full vigor of a useful and influential manhood.

In the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, on account of his long service, his kindly disposition, and true fellowship he had endeared himself to the brotherhood in every section of this great state.

His life will always be an inspiration to his friends and the splendid example of humanitarianism which characterized his business and fraternal associations will be a rich heritage to his family.

Sister Margaret E. Weldon, Past President, sang "The Home of the Soul" in a most touching manner.

The Grand Chaplain offered prayer. The Memorial services were thus concluded.

The committee from the Rebekah Assembly were introduced by the Grand Master.

Sister Myrtle Tandy, Past President, thereupon responded on behalf of the representatives of the Assembly in most fitting and beautiful language.

Sister Birney, wife of Grand Warden J. W. Birney, entertained the Grand Lodge with a number of songs. This was enthusiastically received.

Thereupon the Sisters retired and the Grand Lodge resumed its regular session.

DOCUMENT NO. 24.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

We, the Committee on the suspension of members beg leave to make the following report.

This is a matter which concerns every lodge and every member, and we should undertake the consideration of the matter with the object of preventing suspensions rather than recovering those suspended—although the latter is important as well.

Let us first consider the causes of suspensions. We have come to the conclusion, from our observation, that there are six principal causes: Curiosity, lack of interest, carelessness, financial embarrassment, failure to collect promptly, emphasis upon financial benefits.

First, Curiosity: By this we mean the curiosity which a candidate has to find out the secrets; the curiosity mentioned in the Past

Grand's charge to the candidate. Many a candidate, when his curiosity is satisfied, has no further interest and drops out. He is not curious to find out what work is done by the Order or whether that work is worthy his assistance; all he wants to know is what kind of a performance has to be gone through to be admitted. A candidate who is animated by this spirit is probably not much loss. Men should not be admitted unless they have some knowledge of what the Order stands for, what its objects are, and how those objects are carried out. They should also have a desire to become associated with the class of men who make up the Order, and to help along the work which the Order undertakes to do; to assist in the upbuilding of the principles of Friendship, Love and Truth to the end that ultimately universal brotherhood shall reign. A candidate who exhibits symptoms of undue curiosity should be regarded with suspicion.

Second, Lack of Interest: This applies to many lodges as well as individuals; but happily they are in the minority. Want of knowledge of the beautiful teachings of our Order is perhaps the chief reason for lack of interest on the part of members. After a candidate has been admitted, no effort is made to get him interested in the work; he is allowed to sit by himself; with nothing to do, and no one takes any special interest in him. Naturally he says, "What's the use?" and drops out. If a little interest had been taken in him and he had been given something to do, so that he would have understood the aims and objects of the Order (as exemplified and taught in well rendered degree work) he would have been aroused and would have been inspired to loftier ideals by the lessons portrayed, and once having learned, his interest would never be lost. In some Lodges meetings are held and routine business transacted, but no effort is made to keep up interest in the real work that is being done; but that leads to the third cause.

Third, Carelessness: This matter is responsible, perhaps more than any other, for members allowing themselves to be suspended; carelessness in the conduct of Lodge meetings; carelessness in the conduct of the business of the Lodge generally, and last but not least, carelessness on the part of the member himself. The first two can be overcome and perhaps if that were done there would be much less carelessness on the part of the members. Have Lodge meetings opened promptly on time; have the business of the Lodge transacted in a businesslike manner, raise the standard of degree work where possible, and for this purpose, even if there are no candidates, have degree practices at Lodge meetings; attend to correspondence and keep the records and files up to date at all times. These things will have a tendency to counteract carelessness in the individual as well as lack

of interest. Members are often careless in notifying the Lodge of change of address and so do not receive their notices; some receive their notice and neglect to attend to them until they are forgotten, and by their procrastination they find themselves so far in arrears that they think it is too hard to catch up again. Eradicate carelessness and a long stride is made towards preventing loss by suspensions.

Fourth, Financial Embarrassment: Sometimes a member finds himself unable to pay his dues promptly, and as each quarter goes by it gets harder. He is too independent to let the Lodge know that he can't pay and so loses his right to the attention of the Lodge. These arouse our sympathy and we should all be glad to deal leniently with them until the tide turns; but usually we do not know. The other side of the financial question, perhaps it should not be called embarrassment, is that increased prosperity on the part of some of our members leads them to believe that the benefits of the Order are no longer necessary for their welfare, forgetting that the principles of humanity and brotherly love extend to the rich as well as the poor.

Fifth, Failure to Collect Promptly: Failure of the Financial Secretary to try and collect the dues of the members at the proper time, old fashioned style of dun that Noah threw out of the Ark, instead of up-to-date statements, too stingy to use printer's ink, no assistance of the Financial Secretary, failure to keep in touch with the members, a kind of a go-as-you-please way of transacting the business of the Lodge, are all causes for suspension which are to be deplored. In some Lodges a membership committee is appointed whose duty it is to assist the Financial Secretary in keeping in touch with the members and collecting dues in arrears.

Sixth, Emphasis upon Financial Benefits: Many members are being brought into our Order solely by the prominence given to the financial benefits paid by the Order which leads them to believe that these are the greatest advantages to be gained by membership. They consider it much in the same way as an insurance, and take no further interest in the membership than they do in their insurance policy. While the pecuniary benefits are indeed great, they are, as we all know, the least of the real benefits to be derived, and the sooner every Brother is made to realize this fact the better it will be for each individual member and the Order in general. In approaching a candidate, put the emphasis upon the value of the Order as a means of doing good, the opportunity it affords for broadening his mind and making his effort tell in making the world better, and convince him that the financial benefits are merely incidental to the principal work of the Order.

Incidentally, we observe that many members have been suspended illegally, either through ignorance of the law, or through carelessness on the part of the Secretary.

Now, what can we do to remedy matters? Possibly the suggestions in this paper will contain nothing new, but if their repetition will help to bring about any improvement, we will be amply repaid.

In considering this subject, it must be remembered that the local conditions affect each jurisdiction differently and the same remedy will not apply to all alike.

It is a well-known fact that we can teach only that which we have learned, and pronounce good only that which has led to happiness. True happiness is the result of conscious usefulness.

Every Lodge should try to be an ideal Lodge. See that the meetings are opened promptly on time, that the business is conducted with dispatch; follow the prescribed order of business instead of allowing things to stand over until "Good and Welfare"; keep the standard of degree work high; see that visitors are made to feel that they are truly welcome, and when the Good of the Order is reached, devote a little time to the cultivation of the sublime teachings of the Order and the inculcation of the enthusiasm for the ideals which the Order endeavors to promote.

Respectfully submitted,

D. J. DUMSER, 47,

Report adopted.

ALEX. VAN PRAAG, 186.

The Grand Master introduced Brother George Harland, Grand Master, and Fred A. Rogers, Grand Secretary, of the Jurisdiction of Michigan with the statement that they would address the Grand Lodge later in the session.

The Grand Lodge proceeded to the

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

FOR GRAND MASTER.

Bro. J. P. Ellacott, of No. 416, nominated for Grand Master Bro. L. M. Kagy, of No. 114.

There being but one nomination, Bro. Isaac Golden, of No. 822, moved that the Grand Secretary cast the unanimous ballot of the Grand Lodge for Bro. L. M. Kagy.

The motion was carried and the Grand Secretary cast the unanimous ballot of the Grand Lodge and Bro. L. M. Kagy was declared elected Grand Master for the ensuing term.

FOR DEPUTY GRAND MASTER.

Bro. J. A. Lucas, of No. 69, nominated Bro. John W. Birney, of No. 77.

There being but one nomination, Bro. J. J. Lyell, of No. 558, moved that the Grand Secretary cast the unanimous ballot of the Grand Lodge for Bro. John W. Birney.

The motion carried and the Grand Secretary cast the unanimous ballot of the Grand Lodge and Bro. John W. Birney was declared elected Deputy Grand Master for the ensuing term.

FOR GRAND WARDEN.

Bro. T. J. Fitzgerald, of No. 198, nominated Bro. A. L. Yantis, of No. 117.

Bro. W. H. Helm, of No. 227, nominated Bro. Walter B. Strang, of No. 81.

Bro. H. A. Brooks, of No. 39, nominated Bro. C. A. Robbins, of No. 39.

The Grand Master appointed the following Brothers as Tellers:

F. C. Sproul, of No. 39.

D. H. Chapman, of No. 782

A. G. Nauman, of No. 540.

G. J. Johnson, of No. 418.

O. H. Richards, of No. 56.

During the taking and tabulating of the ballot for Grand Warden, the Grand Lodge, by unanimous consent, proceeded to the election of the remainder of the elective officers as follows:

FOR GRAND SECRETARY.

Bro. E. R. Sayler, P.G.M., nominated Bro. John H. Sikes, of No. 465.

There being no further nomination, on motion of Bro. W. E. P. Anderson, Bro. L. M. Kagy, D.G.M., was instructed to cast the entire vote of the Grand Lodge for Bro. Sikes, which was done, and Bro. John H. Sikes was declared duly elected Grand Secretary for the ensuing term.

FOR GRAND TREASURER.

Bro. Cicero J. Lindley, P.G.M., of No. 3, nominated Bro. Melvin P. Berry, P.G.M., of No. 412.

There being but one nomination, on motion of Bro. James Ewing Davis, P.G.M., of No. 90, the Grand Secretary was instructed to cast the unanimous vote of the Grand Lodge for Bro.

Berry, which was done, and Bro. Melvin P. Berry was declared duly elected Grand Treasurer for the ensuing term.

FOR GRAND REPRESENTATIVE.

One Year Term.

Bro. A. Otis Arnold, of No. 12, nominated Bro. H. M. Blood, of No. 645, for Grand Representative for one year.

There being but one nomination, Bro. J. Berliant, of No. 484, moved that the Grand Secretary be instructed to cast the entire vote of the Grand Lodge for Bro. H. M. Blood, which being done, the Grand Master declared Bro. H. M. Blood duly elected Grand Representative for one year.

FOR GRAND REPRESENTATIVE.

Two-year Term.

Bro. A. Otis Arnold, of No. 12, nominated Bro. James Ewing Davis, of No. 990, for Grand Representative for two years.

There being but one nomination, Bro. Willis Melville, of No. 693, moved that the Grand Secretary be instructed to cast the entire vote of the Grand Lodge for Bro. James Ewing Davis for Grand Representative for two years, which being done, the Grand Master declared Bro. James Ewing Davis duly elected Grand Representative for two years.

The Grand Master appointed the following Brothers to fill vacancies on committee on

State of the Order—S. A. Hathburn, of No. 793; J. T. Arnold, of No. 641; Gus H. Arps, of No. 708; Hugh Calhoun, of No. 408; Geo. Luxton, of No. 230; E. F. Drews, of No. 369.

The Grand Master also appointed

To Fill Vacancy as Grand Conductor—Ira Mullen, of No. 69.

Bro. Isaac Golden, of No. 822, presented to the Grand Lodge on the 25th year of attendance of the Grand Lodge the sum of twenty-five dollars, one-half to the Orphans' Home and one-half to the Old Folks' Home.

Doc. 4. The report of the Committee on Analysis and Distribution was considered and adopted as of yesterday.

Also Doc. 5. Resolution by Finance Committee, was considered and adopted as of yesterday. (Same not shown in Tuesday's Journal.)

Doc. 13. Report of the Committee on Libraries was considered and adopted.

Doc. 14. Third report of the Committee on Finance was considered and adopted.

Doc. 15. Fourth report of the Committee on Finance was considered and adopted.

Doc. 16. Fifth report of the Committee on Finance was considered and adopted.

Doc. 17. Sixth report of the Committee on Finance was considered and adopted.

The Grand Lodge proceeded to the consideration of Doc. 22, first report of the Committee on Legislation.

It was moved to adopt the report of the committee. Motion carried.

DOCUMENT NO. 25.

First report by Tellers.

We would report the result of the ballot for Grand Warden as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 573, of which	
W. B. Strang received.....	16
A. L. Yantis received	240
C. A. Robbins received	314
Scattering	3
Necessary to a choice.....	287

F. C. SPROUL, 39,
G. J. JOHNSON, 418,
A. G. NAUMAN, 540,
O. H. RICHARDS, 53,
D. H. CHAPMAN, 782.

Bro. Yantis moved, seconded by Bro. Strang, that the ballot be made unanimous. Motion carried.

Whereupon the Grand Master declared Bro. C. A. Robbins, of No. 39, duly elected as Grand Warden.

Thereupon the Grand Lodge adjourned until 2:00 o'clock P. M.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

November 20, 1918, 2:00 P. M.

The Grand Lodge met pursuant to adjournment, Grand Master Blood in the chair.

Present: All Grand Officers and a quorum of Representatives.

The Opening Ode was sung and the Grand Chaplain offered prayer.

The Grand Lodge was then declared regularly opened for the transaction of business.

The Grand Master then declared a recess while the distinguished visitors were introduced.

Past Grand Masters Davis and Lindley and Past Grand Sire Conway were appointed a committee to escort Hon. Frank O. Lowden, Governor of Illinois, and Congressman at Large Richard Yates.

Bro. Conway introduced Governor Lowden and Bro. Lindley Congressman Yates.

The Governor said he appreciated the compliment paid him by inviting him before the Grand Lodge because of the service rendered during the past year and a half, not only by the members of this Order, but by the people of this great loyal State, representing, as this Order does, a great brotherhood.

The Governor retired on account of pressing engagements in his office. Congressman Yates then addressed the Grand Lodge at length on the great work of this brotherhood during the war that is past. He described the conditions of the times, through which the country has passed, the self sacrifices endured by those who defended our country and the great and glorious victory achieved by the allied armies.

In closing he asked everybody to stand while they cheered for the American boy and to tender the sympathies of this Order to all those whose hearts are bereaved by the loss of a son, brother or other member of their families.

While Bro. Yates retired from the Lodge room the Grand Lodge rose enmasse and sang, "The Star Spangled Banner."

The Grand Lodge resumed its session.

Doc. 23. Second report of the Committee on Legislation, was considered and adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 26.

First report, by Bro. A. A. Ludwig, of No. 105.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on State of the Order would respectfully report as follows:

Having carefully considered those parts of the Grand Master's Report under the following captions: Our Country in War, State of the Order, Credit to those to whom credit is due, Associate Grand Officers, Official Letters, dated November 23, 1917. Salutory dated November 23, 1917, Synopsis of Legislation dated December 20, 1917, U. S. Fuel Administration, letter dated January 25, 1918, embodying the following subject matter:

Efficiency, Diploma Extraordinary, Rituals, War Times, Home Tax, Specially Prepared Letter, all that part of the Grand Master's Report referred to the Halifax Disaster, all that part of the Grand Master's Report under the head of Team Work mentioned in his letter of February 12, 1918, also his letter dated March 25, 1918, concerning Spurious Rituals and Keep the Home Fires Burning, Anniversary Proclamation, World Wide War, Memorial Day Proclamation, Change of time of meeting in training camps as mentioned in his letter April 15, 1918, Memorial Day proclamation, Deputies as indicated by his letter of May 3rd, also his entire letter of June 12, 1918, also his entire letter of August 1st, together with a communication to the general public of President Wilson enclosed therewith, his communication concerning Food Conservation, his communication concerning Spanish Influenza, New Subordinate Lodges, Subordinate Lodges Closed, Subordinate Lodges Consolidated, Change of Name, Loss by Fire, expelled subordinate Members Reinstated, Centennial Committee Resignations, Training Camps in Illinois, training camps in Illinois, all that part of the Prager Case except the voucher drawn to cover the expense thereof, Odd Fellows League and Relief Board, Literature, and the Press.

We hereby approve these parts of the Grand Master's Report, and recommend their approval by this Grand Lodge.

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 27.

Second report, by Bro. John J. Brown, of No. 122.
To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on State of the Order would respectfully report as follows:

That portion of the Grand Secretary's report in reference to members in the service shows quite an amount of labor on the part of the Grand Secretary in order to secure a complete record, but as the members in the service are constantly changing, it has been very difficult for him to secure an accurate list. Your committee would therefore recommend that the Grand Secretary be instructed to complete the roll of the members of our Order in the service and make report of the same at the next Grand Lodge.

In reference to that portion of the Grand Secretary's report concerning the Chicago Historical Society asking that the Grand Secretary present to said Society the journals of this Grand Lodge and that the Grand Secretary has not been able to do so on account of a number of the journals being out of print. Your committee therefore recommends on this subject that the Grand Secretary be directed to continue his research for the journals mentioned in his report and that he forward to the Chicago Historical Society such journals as can be spared.

Upon that portion of the Grand Secretary's report headed "Grand Lodge Constitution Amended" would report that this portion of the Grand Secretary's report concerns an amendment to the Grand Lodge Constitution which amendment was made in the Sovereign Grand Lodge and passed. This amendment being approved by Grand Sire Frank C. Goudy on December 31, 1917, which action was ratified by the Sovereign Grand Lodge held in St. Louis, September 16-21, 1918, and has reference to standing committees. Your committee, could take no action upon this matter as it has been passed and ratified by the Sovereign Grand Lodge and that the thanks of this Grand Lodge should be tendered to the Grand Secretary for making a report of the same so that each member of the Grand Lodge would be informed as to the action of the Sovereign Grand Lodge on this subject.

Signed by the Committee.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 28.

Third report, by Bro. D. C. Stocking, of No. 829.
To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on State of the Order would respectfully report as follows: Camp Grant Soldiers' Headquarters:

We heartily concur in the resolution offered by representatives of Rockford Lodges. The Grand Lodge accepts and fully appreciates the expression of gratitude from our Soldiers at Camp Grant, in thanking the Rebekah Assembly and Grand Lodge for the comfortable home-like rest rooms and headquarters which they have enjoyed to the fullest extent; and for the untiring labor of Bro. Theo. Van De Mark, in visiting the sick and aiding in every way possible our Soldier Brothers and their relatives, particularly during the recent epidemic when he served them night and day—rendering a service that cannot be measured in dollars and cents.

Your Committee would recommend that the headquarters be maintained as heretofore until such a time as the Grand Lodge War Camp Committee deems best to close same.

Report adopted.

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

DOCUMENT NO. 29.

Fourth report, by Bro. J. A. Giberson, of No. 421.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on State of the Order would respectfully report as follows: On Document No. 21:

That we recognize and commend the patriotic motive which prompted the resolution but we do not believe that the great question of patriotic expression which is involved should be made a part of our anniversary celebration, but that a specific day be set aside by our Order for the proper annual celebration of our Liberty and the recent success of our armed forces. Undoubtedly a "Victory Day" will be designated by our President and if not then this celebration be held in each Subordinate Lodge on the meeting night nearest the 11th day of November of each year.

This report if approved be subject to a proper proclamation by the Grand Master.

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 30.

Fifth report, by Bro. R. B. Doan, of No. 152.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on State of the Order would respectfully report as follows:

We approve the report of the Deputy Grand Master, Grand Marshall and Grand Chaplain, also the report of the Grand Instructor and Assistant Grand Instructor.

We wish especially to commend the portion of the Grand Chaplain's Report relating to the preparation of a ritual for the marking

of the death of our soldiers and sailors. We also wish to express our concurrence in the Grand Chaplain's suggestion that our lodges have not rightly comprehended the opportunities of "the Good of the Order" part of the meetings. We also concur in his suggestion that lodges should have a broad and active interest in all the uplift work of the community regardless of any special connection which the order may have with such work.

We also wish heartily to approve and commend that portion of the Grand Instructor's Report relating to "Our Country's Flag" and we will recommend that the Grand Lodge impress upon the Subordinate Lodges the use of the flag ceremony arranged by the Grand Instructor.

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 31.

Sixth report.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on State of the Order would respectfully report as follows:

ON DOCUMENT No. 10.

Your committee to whom the subject matter in said document was referred, would respectfully submit the following report:

We concur in the suggestions that the War, Peace and Victory will bring to the present and future generations many important questions to solve, and that we concur that the developments in the arts and sciences will be greatly increased during the coming year, and we further concur that the problems of reconstruction which must bring new principles and new ideas into our modes of life and government. We also heartily concur that our boys at the age of 18 can fight and have fought with great valor, intelligence and good judgment, and that we can never repay them for the part which they took in giving us such a glorious Victory.

The committee believes that that portion of the document in reference to Suffrage in the United States is a matter that must be left to the law-makers of this government, and the committee believe that they have no right to pledge or to have pledged the individual members of this Grand Lodge to be compelled to act upon a question which legally belongs to the Legislative Department of our government, and therefore, do not concur upon the question of Suffrage introduced in said document, neither do they concur in attempting to pledge the individual to any act concerning the same. But upon that portion of the document where it states that the Illinois representatives to the Sovereign Grand Lodge be instructed to use their every honor-

able effort to have the age limit for admission into this Order reduced from 21 to 18 years, be concurred in and this Grand Lodge instruct their representatives to the Sovereign Grand Lodge to use all honorable means whereby the law shall be amended so as to admit the young men of 18 years to all the privileges and benefits of this Order.

Signed by the Committee.

Which was adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 32.

Report by Bro. E. R. Saylor, of No. 6.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Rebekah Degree would respectfully report as follows:

We have carefully considered the subject matter in the Grand Master's report headed, "New Rebekah Lodges," "Rebekah Lodges Closed," "Loss by Fire," "Changes of Name of Rebekah Lodges" and recommend the adoption of the same.

E. R. SAYLER,
J. BERLIANT,
FRANK FUCIK,
J. B. HENNING,
ROBT. CLARK.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 33.

Third report Committee on Legislation.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Legislation would respectfully report as follows concerning document No. 12 which is a resolution to amend the by-laws of the Grand Lodge by adding to be known as Section 11 a.

We have carefully considered the resolution as offered and do not concur therein and we recommend that said resolution be amended by striking out the word "one" in the first line and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ten" and by striking out the word "majority" in the second line and inserting in lieu thereof "75%" so that said resolution when so amended shall read as follows:

Sec. 11 a. In cities and towns having more than ten Subordinate Lodges, the Lodges may by a 75% vote thereof, organize a General Relief Committee, composed of one or more members from each Lodge, such General Relief Committee to have charge of all sick and distressed visiting or sojourning members within the jurisdiction of such Lodges, with the same authority as to paying benefits, providing watchers or nurses, and otherwise caring for such visiting or sojourning members as is given to relief committees of Lodges, where no such General Relief Committee exists, and such General Relief

Committee shall adopt rules and regulations to govern it, subject to the approval of the Grand Lodge. The expense of such General Relief Committee shall be borne equally by all the Lodges within its jurisdiction on a per capita basis, and provided that Lodges in adjoining cities or towns in the same county, may become affiliated with such General Relief Committee, and sharing in the expense thereof. And provided further, that the General Relief Committee may admit representatives from Rebekah Lodges Encampments and Cantons.

The majority of your Committee further recommend that said resolution as amended be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

A. OTIS ARNOLD,
H. E. MAKUTCHAN,
A. L. YANTIS,
J. HENRY DEBUS,
O. H. RICHARDS,
WILLIS MELVILLE,

PHILLIP REITZ,
FRED C. MAYER,
A. T. RONER,
HAROLD H. HOUSE,
C. S. JOHNSON,
T. W. VAN DE MARK.

DOCUMENT NO. 62.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Of the Committee on Legislation on Document No. 12 by a proposition to amend the Grand Lodge By-Laws by inserting a new section to be known as Section 11a.

The following members of the Committee on Legislation respectfully dissent from the conclusion reached by a majority of the Committee, and recommend that said proposed amendment to the By-Laws be not adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED B. MERRILLS,
W. B. STRANG.

Both majority and minority reports laid on the table.

DOCUMENT NO. 34.

Whereas, In the jurisdiction of Illinois, we have many Lodges whose financial and numerical strength have been impaired and by reason of their weakened condition they are unable to pay sick benefits;

And whereas, If they were permitted to suspend benefits until such time as they would be in a position to render the necessary and proper aid to their members, they would be of material benefit to the Order;

And whereas, This Grand Lodge has not the power to authorize its subordinates to suspend the payment of benefits;

And whereas, such legislation is desired;

Therefore, be it resolved, That the representatives of this Grand Lodge, through the Sovereign Grand Lodge, be instructed to present such legislation as may be necessary, at the next session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge as will permit Grand Bodies to authorize subordinate lodges to suspend the payment of benefits whenever these lodges may deem it necessary and for the best interests of the Lodge.

Respectfully submitted,

A. A. LUDWIG, No. 105.

Approved and referred to Grand Representatives.

DOCUMENT NO. 35.

Whereas, For many years our Order has sustained tremendous losses by reason of our members being dropped for failure to pay dues and for various other reasons, and,

Whereas, We have many lodges in good territory which are dormant and are gradually becoming weaker in numerical and financial strength, and,

Whereas, The great World War has taken from all our lodges many members, from the weak as well as the strong, and,

Whereas, It will be necessary for our Order to aid especially these weak lodges whose members have been called to the service of our country, and,

Whereas, It is our duty as Odd Fellows to aid and assist all of our members and their families who have suffered by reason of injuries or death, and,

Whereas, The duties of the Grand Master are so great and so varied that it is impossible for him to visit all the lodges throughout the state, and,

Whereas, An earnest effort should be made to strengthen the weak and struggling lodges and to retain upon our membership books the names of all good Brothers, and,

Whereas, Much good could be accomplished by placing in the field a man, who on account of his experience and adaptability is especially qualified for work of this character, who would devote all or a portion of his time,

Therefore be it resolved, By this Grand Lodge that the Grand Master be empowered to take such steps as may seem to him to be advisable and adequate and to employ a competent Brother who will devote his talents and energy to work among the Lodges of the state, to give instructions to the officers and members, suggest ways and means, co-operate with the deputies, officers and members, systematize and organize the work throughout the state and do such other work

as will inure to the benefit of our Order all under the direction and approval of the Grand Master, and that a sum not to exceed Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) shall be appropriated, which amount shall cover all compensation and expenses connected therewith; and

Be it further resolved, That the Finance Committee in preparing and submitting its budget shall take into consideration the expense heretofore incurred by Special Deputies, traveling expenses and the expenses necessary, for holding schools of instruction, which shall make up a part of the appropriation aforesaid, and,

Be it further resolved, That this appropriation and the object and purposes of this resolution be for the purpose of the coming year only and shall not be considered permanent.

A. OTIS ARNOLD.

Resolution adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 36.

MEMORIAL TO BROTHER ROBERT YARMO OF GOLDEN HARMONY, No. 917.

Brother Robert Yarmo, an active member of the Golden Harmony Lodge No. 917 enlisted as a private in the service of the Second Illinois National Guard. In 1916 he was called to the service of the United States government in the Mexican outbreak and served under General Pershing. He returned later and when the United States entered the war against Germany he again enlisted in his own regiment, which was later known as the Rainbow Division under General John J. Pershing. He was 37 years old and was a member of Golden Harmony Lodge for 12 years.

He was one of the first to leave for France and was mentioned for his heroism in several instances. He has been through several of the important battles and had specially trained himself for sniping. He was promoted to Top Sergeant. As well as being a good soldier he also was a good and active Odd Fellow. His memory will always be cherished by the Brothers and friends that knew him. He was killed in action on August 19, 1918.

Having closed his life in such fitting manner, let this memorial be inscribed in the records of this Grand Lodge as a perpetual respect and esteem for the valor and sacrifice which the Brother has so nobly given for the benefit of humanity and for the common good of all peoples of the world.

EMANUEL M. SOLOMON,
No. 917 Golden Harmony Lodge.

On motion of Bro. McKinley, of No. 41, the above was unanimously adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 37.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Early in the year, the Grand Master received a communication from the Illinois Centennial Commission asking that the Odd Fellows co-operate with that Commission in celebrating the hundredth anniversary of the admission of Illinois into the Union.

In response to that request, the Grand Master appointed the undersigned as a committee to represent the Order.

Owing to war conditions, the program outlined by the Centennial Commission could not be carried out in detail, and no action was taken by your Committee. Other fraternities were governed by the same conditions.

Later in the year the Grand Master reappointed the undersigned to outline a plan for the celebration, in Illinois, of the hundredth anniversary of our order. Acting for this Committee Past Grand Master, Owen Scott, prepared a brief history, entitled "Story of One Hundred Years" which has been published by the Grand Secretary in the form of a sixteen page folder. This contains essential facts of our history and "suggested program" for the use of Subordinate Lodges in observing the centennial of our order. Copies of this pamphlet and program may be obtained from the Grand Secretary. Your committee are of the opinion that this centennial furnishes an excellent opportunity to extend a knowledge of our work, both in our own ranks and among those who are not members of the order. We recommend that this anniversary be celebrated by all Lodges, and that the incoming Grand Master be requested to take such steps as he may deem desirable to aid in that work.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. CROWDER,
OWEN SCOTT,
JOHN H. SIKES,

Committee.

Which was adopted.

The historical sketch above referred to is as follows—

STORY OF ONE HUNDRED YEARS
of the
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ONE HUNDRED YEARS—A CENTURY OF ODD FELLOWSHIP.

American Odd Fellowship will be one hundred years old on April 19, 1919. A century will then have passed since the seed was planted in the soil of the new world, the growth of which shows today the wide spreading tree of fraternity, the leaves of which are for the healing of the nations.

Material Progress of the World.

The last one hundred years have shown a greater advance in human achievement than the thousand preceding. The world has been transformed. The trinity of powers—steam, electricity, gasoline—has wrought modern miracles in the realm of material things. The railroad and the steamship, the life-blood of commerce; the telegraph, annihilating distance and making far away peoples nearest neighbors; the telephone, with its wireless mastery of the seas; the phonograph, recording, reproducing and preserving the words of orators and the music of singers, of bands and of orchestras; the flying machine, outstripping in speed and daring the fleetest denizens of the air, transforming the azure vault of the sky into an aerial ocean—these are but a few of the wonders wrought in the material domain by man's genius since the birth of American Odd Fellowship. It is a source of gratification to us that these mighty steps in human progress come largely from the hand and brain of citizens of our own country. Robert Fulton, Professor Morse, Alexander Graham Bell, Thomas Edison, Marconi, Wright—these are but a few of the names that stand as synonyms for the world's greatest material achievements.

Equal Progress in Social Uplift.

Great as these are, they scarcely outshine those men who have been benefactors of the human race in the domain of spiritual, social and fraternal developments. None in this galaxy of immortals stands out more brilliantly than that of Thomas Wildey. Modestly, without ostentation, wholly unconscious of the magnitude of his enterprise, he called together four kindred spirits and with their aid dropped into the friendly soil of human wants and worries the acorn of fraternity. This germinated and sent up its tender shoot which, nurtured by the warmth of friendly care and moistened by the grateful tears of its beneficiaries, stands today as the mighty oak of human brotherhood as represented by the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

Its Growth Marvelous.

The magnitude of the growth of the Order is shown by the statement of a recent Grand Sire who said, "Wonderful has been the development of this fraternity. In 1819 one lodge and five members; in 1917, over 200 Grand Bodies (Grand Lodges, Grand Encampments and Rebekah Assemblies) and considerably more than 30,000 Subordinate bodies, with a membership of 2, 225,707" being 1,694,090 Odd Fellows and 531,617 Rebekahs. In little less than one hundred years this amazing record is made. Figures cannot alone tell the great blessings

Odd Fellowship has brought to the world. The lessons of Friendship, Love and Truth have been taught to many millions of men, women and children. Many of these rest from their labors and their names remain on the rolls of the army of our honored dead.

Firmly Through the Ages.

Shaken lightly by the hand of time the sands of the glass have run until the century mark has almost been reached. The reason that, through all the storms and stress of the past 100 years, our great Fraternity has stood the test of time is that it is built upon a sure foundation. Its fundamentals are Friendship, Love and Truth. On this platform its laws of service have been built. Its aim and mission are "to visit the sick, relieve the distressed, bury the dead, comfort the widow and educate the orphan." In proportion to its faithfulness to this platform and motto its achievements may be justly measured. The multi-millions spent in weekly benefits, when the bread-winner has been brought low by the heavy hand of disease, testify that the distressed have been relieved. Other vast sums, paid as funeral benefits, with fraternal attention during the home's Gethsemane, show that the injunction "to bury the dead" has not been ignored. That the sick have been visited is the weekly record of every lodge in existence.

The Homes Demonstrate.

The relief of the distressed needs no other demonstration than our well-equipped Odd Fellows' Home at Mattoon. The only rival this superb provision for the aged and infirm has encountered is the Home for Children at Lincoln. Here for almost thirty years the orphans of Odd Fellows have had the tenderest and most loving care and the best educational equipment money can provide. The hundreds of young men and women sent out into active and vigorous life, prove that in this branch of useful service the Order of Odd Fellows has not been derelict. Among those who have graduated from the Home, many are in the service of their country in its great battle for the universal freedom of the human race.

Our Centenary Coming.

April 26, 1919, will complete the first 100 years of Odd Fellowship in America. Twenty-five years ago, in celebrating the 75th anniversary some one said "our prosperity during the last quarter of a century has no parallel in history." This may be looked upon as a strong statement, but it is doubtful if any one can successfully gainsay it. When

all phases are considered not alone in increase in wealth and membership, but in its multitude of good works in the lives of men, women and children, the claim of unparalleled achievement is not an extravagant one.

A Look Backward.

As the centenary mile-post is approached, it is natural to take a survey of the past. A brief historical sketch of American Odd Fellowship will, therefore, be of interest and value. The Order was born beyond the seas. It is stated upon good authority that "the Order of Odd Fellows originated in England in the 18th century. In the early part of the century beginning with 1700 the celebrated Daniel DeFoe mentions the Society of Odd Fellows and in the Gentlemen's Magazine for 1745, the Odd Fellows' Lodge is mentioned as 'a place where very pleasant and recreative evenings are spent.' The poet James Montgomery, in 1788, wrote a song for a body of Odd Fellows."

The early English lodges were supported and the members relieved by each one, whether member or visitor, paying a penny to the secretary on entering the lodge. These lodges were formed originally by workingmen for social purposes to assist each other in obtaining employment.

No Ritual Then.

In these early bodies there was little or no ritual. Business was conducted in a very informal manner. At first there was no unity of organization. Each lodge was a law unto itself. At length, however, they learned the forceful lesson of our Memento, the bundle of sticks. Consequently in 1809 came the formation of the Manchester Unity, the greatest beneficial society in the world. The presiding officer in the lodges was called the Noble Grand as in our work today. From the foregoing it will be seen that Odd Fellowship has its roots in the past and that, in its conception, it is not a young and modern institution.

Transplanted to America.

From the highly respectable parentage of English Odd Fellowship was born the American branch on April 26, 1819. Many vain attempts were made prior to this to transplant the Order to the New World. It was left for Thomas Wildey and his four associates to plant the seed that germinated into American Odd Fellowship. Thomas Wildey was born in London, January 15, 1782. It is said of him that "on reaching manhood he was initiated into an Odd Fellows' Lodge in which he distinguished himself by his zeal and integrity." This was prior to the

organization of the Manchester Unity. As there was no general governing body any one could organize a lodge at his pleasure. In his enthusiasm for the Order he gathered others together and they organized a new lodge in London, known as Morning Star Lodge No. 38. He continued to be actively interested and more than once passed through the chairs. Lured by favorable reports from America, in 1817 he embarked for the new land, the symbol of opportunity.

Got Busy at Once.

He came to the City of Baltimore, a stranger in a strange country. Among Englishmen he early met John Welch, an Odd Fellow. At once he began to take preliminary steps to form a lodge. Three others must be found as the required number was five. Through an advertisement in a Baltimore paper the needed three were soon secured. There were Richard Rushworth, John Duncan and John Cheatham, all members of the Order in England. On the 26th of April, this charmed number met at the Seven Stars Inn in Baltimore and organized themselves into "Washington Lodge of Odd Fellows." This was in accordance with the ancient custom of automatic organization. Thus was the frail bark launched upon a wide, unknown and, as it proved to be, a stormy sea. Thomas Wildey was the Noble Grand and John Welch the Vice Grand of the first lodge of Odd Fellows in America. Later Henry M. Jackson came from England for the prime purpose of introducing the Order in this country. He found that his mission had been ante-dated by Wildey and his associates. Thereupon, he instructed them in the changed regulations of the English branch.

An English Charter Secured.

Subsequently P. G. Crowder of Preston, England, visited Baltimore. On his return he secured the issue of a charter for this new lodge. This was dated February 1, 1820, but it did not reach Baltimore until October 23. From that time the embryo body of this great fraternity in America was considered legally organized at the first lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

The struggle for growth or even existence of this pioneer of fraternity was great and often the outcome was in grave doubt. Discord and dissensions arose and threatened the very life of the lodge. At length the disturbing elements withdrew and the lodge was saved. The disgruntled sought to organize a new lodge to be called Franklin under the Manchester Unity. They were refused a charter and the effort failed. Washington Lodge thus had supreme authority in America.

When the Grand Lodge of Maryland and the United States was formed it granted to Franklin Lodge a charter under date of August 22, 1821. This lodge is still in active operation. In September, 1819, the number in the original body had grown from five to nineteen members. In the early days there was a great préjudice against "secret societies." This even went so far as to result in the nomination of a candidate for the Presidency of the United States pledged to destroy these alleged enemies of the government.

A Paradox in Organization.

Washington Lodge stands unique in the history of the Order. It was at one and the same time a Subordinate and a Grand Body. This anomalous condition did not long continue. After full consideration, it was unanimously decided that a Grand Lodge of legislative capacity, separate from working lodges, should be established. Accordingly Washington Lodge willingly surrendered to the Grand Lodge, when formed, the charter received from the Duke of York's Lodge in England. The Grand Lodge of Maryland and the United States was then formed and became the supreme governing body for Odd Fellowship for the world. Naturally, Thomas Wildev was made Grand Master and John Welch, Grand Secretary. On February 9, 1822, this new Grand Lodge granted another charter to the original body as Washington Lodge No. 1. The second Grand Lodge to be organized was that of Massachusetts. A lodge was formed at Boston, March 26, 1820, under the impression that it was the only lodge in this country. Being advised that the Grand Lodge of Maryland and the United States was in existence with full authority from England, they immediately recognized this body as possessed of supreme authority and asked for a charter for Massachusetts Lodge No. 1. This was granted and a dispensation also issued for a Grand Lodge with authority over lodges in that state. On the 9th day of June, 1823, Grand Master Wildev instituted the lodge and on the 11th the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts. Other Grand Lodges were speedily organized in the various states.

Another Complication.

The situation became more complicated than ever when Massachusetts, New York and Pennsylvania had Grand Lodges and the Maryland Grand Lodge was still in partnership with the Grand Lodge of the United States. To avoid this anomalous condition, it was proposed to divorce the Grand Lodge of Maryland from the Grand Lodge of the United States, leaving the State Grand Body on a par with those of other states. This was done and the Grand Lodge of the United States

organized on January 15, 1825. Thomas Wildey was made the first Grand Master and John Welch Deputy Grand Master. These were two of the original five constituting the first lodge at Baltimore.

Father Wildey.

It will thus be seen that Thomas Wildey has been successively Noble Grand of Washington Lodge, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Maryland and the United States and of the Sovereign body, the Grand Lodge of the United States. Most appropriately he may be referred to by Odd Fellows as "Father Wildey." At the annual meeting April 25, 1826, the titles of the two principal officers were changed, by common consent, to Grand Sire and Deputy Grand Sire. During 1826 Grand Sire Wildey visited England, to gain information from the Manchester Unity for the benefit of the Order in the United States. He was received most cordially by the English Brethren.

Illinois Organized.

The Grand Lodge of Illinois was instituted at Alton, August 22, 1838, with the following officers: S. C. Pierce, Grand Master; A. Botkin, Deputy Grand Master; D. B. Berry, Grand Warden; S. L. Miller, Grand Secretary and I. R. Wood Grand Chaplain. The first lodge in Illinois was Western Star No. 1, at Alton, instituted June 11, 1836. Wildey Encampment No. 1 was also instituted at Alton. This was two years later, July 11, 1838. The Grand Encampment was organized at Peoria, July 24, 1850. The headquarters of the Grand Lodge were located at Springfield, April 25, 1842, remaining there to this day and now in the Grand Lodge's own permanent building.

What Illinois Has Done.

In the 72 years since the first lodge was organized at Alton the wonderful growth in number of lodges and in membership shows the persistently faithful spirit of those who have gone before us. There are approximately 1,000 lodges, or to be exact, 991. There were at the last report 108,916 members in Subordinate; 62,800 Rebekah, and 14,117 in Encampments. Such a vast army as this can work miracles in any good cause undertaken.

A few figures will show that the work of Odd Fellows is not one of mere show but of substantial help to those in need. During the last year the sum spent for relief aggregates \$389,850.51, as shown by the records. These figures tell their own story of sick rooms, death chambers and other needful ministrations. To show that there need be no fear of lack of ability to continue to do this great work, it is only necessary to say that the resources of all lodges in the state make the gigantic sum of \$4,097,316.44, as shown in the latest reports.

Our War Work.

During the strenuous days since our country has been involved in the world war for the liberation of mankind, our great fraternity has shown its patriotism in the most intense form. Thousands of our members at the first opportunity sprang to arms and are wearing the uniforms of military service across the seas. To see that these are properly cared for and their lodge membership secure, the Grand Lodge at its last session appropriated \$40,000.00 for their relief. In addition to this it was enacted that each lodge should pay the dues of all soldier or sailor members, while in the service. In every great war movement among Odd Fellows there have been no slackers. Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps have been bought by our members with generous hands. The Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., Salvation Army and other organizations recognized by military authorities have found greatest interest and activity in their behalf among Odd Fellows and Rebekahs.

Orphans and Dependents.

In no place can be found in such tangible and concrete form the real heart of our fraternity as in the Homes at Lincoln and Mattoon. Here our children, bereft of their natural supporters and protectors and the aged, infirm and indigent Odd Fellows and Rebekahs are given every comfort and attention that fraternal hearts and hands can conceive or prepare. Each Odd Fellow in Illinois gladly pays \$1.00 per year into a special fund, sacredly set apart for the Homes. If necessary no one would object to the payment of a much greater sum. Our children of youth and age are carefully and tenderly guarded and supported.

The Rebekah Branch.

No sketch of the Order of Odd Fellows would approach completion without some reference to the Rebekah branch. The opportunity for women to supplement the work of man in practicing the noble deeds of fraternity was early recognized as essential to the fullest measure of efficiency. The relation of the two branches is fitly described in these lines:

"The vigorous oak, with branches long,

The clinging ivy twines,

Till both, so firmly knit and strong,

Their beauteous grace combines."

Many futile efforts were made to organize a ladies' branch of the Order long before it was permanently established. Year after year this was considered by the Grand Lodge but no definite action was taken until 1851. A special committee of three was appointed in 1849, consisting of Representative Schuyler Colfax, of Indiana, Past Grand Sire Kennedy of New York and Judge Larue of New Orleans. The two latter made a report unfavorable to the establishment of a degree for women. Schuyler Colfax, afterward Vice President of the United States, was not easily turned from his purpose. As a minority of the committee, he presented his views strongly urging the creation of the branch for the activities of the wives, mothers, sisters and daughters of Odd Fellows. After an able discussion the minority view prevailed. Brother Colfax was made chairman of a committee to prepare the ritual. This he wrote and it was reported and adopted at the session in September 1851.

What Gave It the Name.

The name was no doubt selected because of the incident which took place at the well of Nahor, where Eliezer, the faithful servant of Abraham appeared, weary from travel, stopped to drink and water his camels. Rebekah, as was the custom of that day, had gone to carry water to her home. Eliezer said to the beautiful maiden, "Let me drink, I pray thee." She drew the water and replied, "Drink and I will give thy camels drink also."

She urged the weary stranger to accompany her to her father's home and tarry for the night. This beautiful, Biblical incident enabled the servant of Abraham to fulfill his mission. Rebekah returned with Eliezer and became the bride of Isaac, the son of Abraham. As she was ready to respond to the needs of a weary traveler her name was chosen as suitable to designate the great work of woman in Odd Fellowship. At first the title of this degree was "Daughters of Rebekah," but, as men were admitted, it seemed inappropriate that they should be called "daughters." Hence, after a time, the name was changed to the "Degree of Rebekah."

The Great Work of Rebekahs.

The wonderful work done in relief of children and others in distress by the Rebekahs proves conclusively the wisdom of the action creating the degree for women. In Illinois they took the lead in establishing the Orphans' Home at Lincoln and tendered it as a gift to the Grand Lodge. They have since been ever on the alert to render invaluable assistance in maintaining and extending its scope and use.

fulness. The Rebekahs were seriously considering the problem of an Old Folks' Home when the Grand Lodge took it up and solved it by building the Home at Mattoon. The Rebekahs have contributed freely here again as they did for the children at Lincoln.

The Encampment Branch.

Patriarchal Odd Fellowship began with the organization of "Encampment Lodge No. 1," chartered by the Grand Lodge of Maryland, May 15, 1827, John L. Ridgely, the historian, said of the meeting: "A novel and startling feature was proposed. This was that a lodge should be chartered for the sole purpose of conferring the Patriarchal, Golden Rule and Royal Purple degrees and that the Grand Lodge should resign the right to confer them into the hands of the members of the proposed body." Owing to defects in the original charter a new one was issued in 1829 and the name changed to "Encampment of Patriarchs." Power was given it "to grant dispensations for opening an encampment to all faithful Odd Fellows throughout the globe."

This original body later adopted as its name "Jerusalem Encampment No. 1." Since then, beginning with Pennsylvania, Grand Encampments have been established in the various states and provinces under the obedience of the Sovereign Grand Lodge. The membership is large and the work done of great value to the Order. Equal representation with Grand Lodges is accorded Grand Encampments in the Sovereign Grand Lodge.

The Uniformed Branch.

The name adopted for the Uniformed Degree Camp is Patriarchs Militant. This has grown into a regularly organized military department with a distinct and separate organization. The uniforms make a marked impression wherever a body of Patriarchs Militant appears. This has added materially to the growth of Odd Fellowship in attracting those who love the spectacular and enjoy the display in the military features.

SUGGESTED PROGRAM

For Lodges in Observance of the Centennial of Odd Fellowship in America.

1. The Flag Ceremony and singing of "America."
2. Prayer by a minister of the gospel.
3. Appropriate music—vocal and instrumental.
4. Brief history of lodge, with names of those in Army and Navy service.
5. Historical address on Odd Fellowship—Subordinate, Rebekah and Patriarchal. In the absence of a speaker read this historical sketch.

6. Sing "First Odd Fellows' Song." (See last page.)
7. Brief address on the work of our Homes.
8. A social hour.

First Odd Fellows' Song.

In 1788 the poet, James Montgomery, wrote the first Odd Fellows' Song ever known to have been printed. The society called the Ancient and Honorable Loyal Odd Fellows had a demonstration and social entertainment. For this he composed the song printed herewith. It can be sung to the tune, "Shining Shore," or "Auld Lang Syne."

I.

When Friendship, Love and Truth abound,
Among a band of brothers,
The cup of joy goes daily round,
Each shares the bliss of others.
Sweet roses grace the thorny way
Along the vale of sorrow,
The flowers that held their leaves today
Shall bloom again tomorrow.

II.

On halcyon wings our moments pass,
Life's cruel cares beguiling.
Old Time lays down his scythe and glass,
In gay good humor smiling.
With ermine beard and forelock gray
His reverend front adorning,
He looks like Winter turned to May,
Night softened into morning.

III.

From these delightful fountains flow
Ambrosial rills of pleasure.
Can man desire, can heaven bestow,
A more resplendent treasure.
Adorned with gems so richly bright
We'd form a constellation,
Where every star with modest light
Shall gild his proper station.

There were two additional lines repeated at the end of each stanza. They are:

"How grand in age, how fair in youth,
Are holy Friendship, Love and Truth."

These are omitted as they do not fit in with the tune suggested.

DOCUMENT NO. 38.

Be it resolved, By the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. of Illinois, that from and after January 1st, 1919, it shall be illegal for any Subordinate Lodge under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of Illinois, having less than 150 members in good standing to pay for the services of Secretaries more than \$35.00 per calendar year whether the work be done by one Secretary or two.

Respectfully submitted,
P. C. ELSEY, 357.

Laid on the table.

DOCUMENT NO. 39.

Concerning the war welfare work being done at Great Lakes Naval Training Station by the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of Waukegan, and reported on by the Grand Master,

And whereas, The \$100.00 per month given by the War Relief Committee has been far from sufficient—the Waukegan members, supplying the deficit,

And whereas, The growing needs of the Odd Fellows' work among the Jackies, requires at the very lowest, \$300.00 per month,

Resolved, That this Grand Lodge authorize the supplying of that amount to the Waukegan Odd Fellows' work among Odd Fellows of Great Lakes.

R. H. T. NESBITT,
Representative No. 793.

Referred to War Relief Board.

DOCUMENT NO. 40.

Ninth report, by Bro. J. Ewing Davis, P.G.M., of No. 990.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report as follows:

In regard to Document No. 7 found on page 20 of Tuesday's Journal offered by Brother J. Belanger of No. 238 and others.

Your committee offered Document No. 5, found on page 15 of Tuesday's Journal. This resolution was adopted providing that an amount equal to three (3c) cents mileage be appropriated in addition to the regular mileage of five (5c) cents.

Your committee were of the opinion that this action at yesterday's session by the Grand Lodge was satisfactory to its members as it was unanimously passed, and we would respectfully ask to be excused from any further consideration of this resolution.

Fraternally submitted,

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Which was adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 41.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Resolved. That a publication in the interest of the Order in this state issued regularly, not less frequently than once each month, during the past two years or more, be entitled to carry the imprint "An Official Organ of the I. O. O. F. of the State of Illinois."

FRED B. MERRILLS, P.G., No. 650.

Not adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 42.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Whereas, That inasmuch as the present time for holding the sessions of the Grand Lodge makes it inconvenient or impossible for many of the members to attend, either as representatives or Past Grands, on account of the usually inclement weather during the month of November; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Section 1 of Article 7 of the Constitution of the Grand Lodge which reads as follows: "The Grand Lodge shall meet annually on the third Tuesday in November. This meeting shall be styled the annual session. Special meetings shall be held on the call of the Grand Master. When in annual or special session fifty representative members shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and the Grand Lodge may adjourn from time to time until the business of the session shall have been disposed of. The annual session shall be held in the City of Springfield, except when otherwise ordered by a two-thirds vote of the Grand Lodge convened in annual session. A special session shall be held at the time and place designated by the Grand Master in the call," shall be amended to read as follows:

"The Grand Lodge shall meet annually on the First Tuesday in October. This meeting shall be styled the annual session. Special meetings shall be held on the call of the Grand Master. When in annual or special session fifty representative members shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and the Grand Lodge may adjourn from time to time until the business of the

session shall have been disposed of. The annual session shall be held in the City of Springfield, except when otherwise ordered by a two-thirds vote of the Grand Lodge convened in annual session. A special session shall be held at the time and place designated by the Grand Master in the call."

Respectfully submitted,

D. H. CHAPMAN, 782,
C. A. YOUNG, 751,
A. B. CHADWICK, 214.

Laid over for one year.

DOCUMENT NO. 43.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Judiciary and Appeals to whom was referred that part of the Grand Master's Report entitled "Decisions" covering Question. Are the children of a deceased Brother, half orphans, eligible for admission to the Home when the Brother at the time of his death was not a beneficiary member of his Lodge, not having been a member for the required time?

Answer. Yes. We cannot assume that, because the Brother was not entitled to sick benefits while living, the same rule would apply to his orphan children. The responsibility for denying such children the care of the home might be irreparable, and for that reason the decision must be that, the Brother being in good standing though not beneficiary his orphan children are entitled to admission to the home if otherwise eligible.

Respectfully report that we find nothing in the laws of the order or the rules adopted by the Board of Directors of the Orphans' Home to prevent the said Board of Directors from admitting into the home the children of a deceased Brother, half orphans, eligible for admission to the home provided the Brother, at the time of his death be in good standing, but not a beneficiary member, having not been a member for the required time, and provided further that in the judgment of the board such admission is advisable.

It must be understood that such admission would in all respects be subject to the rules adopted by the Board of Directors and particularly rule No. 11 regarding the payment to the Board of Directors, by the surviving parent of such sum in advance as the board deems proper.

We, therefore, recommend that the decision of the Grand Master be approved.

JOHN W. FLING, Jr.,
For the Committee.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 44.

Eighth report, by Bro. George F. Koester, of No. 601.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report on the matters in the Grand Officers' reports referred to them as follows:

On that part of the Grand Master's letter dated April 15, 1918, entitled Investment of Lodge Funds, and that part of his letter dated September 28, 1918, entitled U. S. Bonds and Liberty Bond Investments, we heartily concur in same and commend the spirit of patriotism that prompted the letter. That part of the report entitled Finances of Subordinate Lodges, we heartily approve of same, which means added protection and care for those of our members who might have been disabled in the war. We do not feel, however, at this time, that any additional legislation should be had—as the resolution passed at the last session of the Grand Lodge under its terms is in force for one year after the war.

Regarding that part of the Prager case which mentions the expense of \$75.00 to cover legal services and expense account of Bro. Fred B. Merrills, we recommend that same be approved.

Fraternally submitted,

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 45.

Tenth report, by Bro. Cicero J. Lindley, of No. 3.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report on matters in the Grand Officers' report referred to them as follows:

Regarding that part of the Grand Master's report entitled Finances of the Orphans' Home, Old Folks' Home, Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer and Endowment Trustees is fully covered in the first to sixth report of the Finance Committee.

Fraternally submitted,

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 46.

Eleventh report, by Bro. J. Ewing Davis, P.G.M., of No. 990.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your committee beg leave to report that the subject matter contained in Document No. 9, offered by Minonk Lodge, No. 377, has been fully covered in the report of the Finance Committee made at the

1917 session, Document No. 84, page 404 of the 1917 Grand Lodge Journal, and we would respectfully refer the Brothers to said report and the action taken by the Grand Lodge.

We do not consider that it is necessary to go into further details and reiterate what was said at that time, and we would respectfully ask to be excused from further consideration of this resolution.

Fraternally submitted,

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 47.

Introduced by Owen Scott.

Amend Art. 4, Sec. 2, Constitution of the Grand Lodge by striking out the word "Lodge" in 22nd line of said section and inserting the word "district" in said line.

Amend Art. 6, Sec. 1, Subordinate Constitution, by striking out the word "Lodge" in the 8th line and inserting the word "district" in its stead.

Laid over for one year.

DOCUMENT NO. 48.

Introduced by Owen Scott.

Amend the Grand Lodge Constitution by striking out Article 5 and inserting the following:

ARTICLE 5.

134½ Districts—Section 1. The State of Illinois shall be divided into districts, having regard to population, geographical location and convenience. The Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master and Grand Secretary shall form the districts. The officers named shall make such changes in the districts as conditions require.

Section 2. One District Deputy Grand Master shall be appointed and commissioned by the Grand Master in each district, the term of his service to be one year from the December 1st succeeding his appointment. He shall be a resident of his district and a member of a lodge therein. He shall be responsible alone to the Grand Master, obey his instructions and perform such duties as are required by the Grand Master or the laws of the Grand Lodge. The Grand Master in his discretion shall have the power at any time to remove any District Deputy. The District Deputy shall be subject to the disciplinary jurisdiction of his lodge the same as any other member.

Section 3. Every District Deputy Grand Master shall visit each lodge in his district at least once each year. He shall thoroughly examine its records and accounts and ascertain the condition of the lodge and report the same to the Grand Master with such recommendations as conditions may warrant.

Section 4. On the 15th of October of each year every District Deputy Grand Master shall make a report to the Grand Master of his official acts during the year. He shall set forth the condition of the lodges in his district and suggest such measures as he may deem to be for the general good of the Order. The Grand Secretary shall furnish a blank on which this report shall be made. A summary of the reports of the District Deputy Grand Master shall be published in the Journal.

Section 5. Officers of Subordinate Lodges shall be installed at the times fixed in the Subordinate Constitution. The District Deputy Grand Master shall be the installing officer when present. When the District Deputy Grand Master is unable, for any reason, personally to install the officers, he may authorize, in writing, some qualified Past Grand to act for him at such installation. It shall be the duty of the Grand Secretary to transmit the semi-annual password and his instructions thereon to the Secretary of each lodge. The Secretary shall give the same to the installing officer, whose duty it shall be to communicate the password to the Noble Grand immediately after his installation.

Laid over for one year.

DOCUMENT NO. 49.

Report by Bro. R. B. Doan, of No. 152.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on the State of the Order would respectfully report as follows:

In regard to the resolution introduced by Brother A. A. Ludwig, of No. 105, recommending that lodges in impaired numerical and financial strength be permitted to suspend the payment of benefits to their members, we recommend that the resolution be approved and that our representatives in the Sovereign Grand Lodge be authorized to take such action in the Sovereign Grand Lodge as may seem to them shall best serve the interests of the Order.

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 50.

Third report, by Bro. T. W. Vande Mark, of No. 31.
To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Legislation would respectfully report as follows:

Your Committee having carefully considered the subject matter of document No. 38 recommend its adoption.

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Laid on the table.

DOCUMENT NO. 51.

Twelfth report, by Bro. Cicero J. Lindley, of No. 3.
To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report as follows: Relative to document No. 11 page 23 of Tuesday's Journal offered by Brother William Nathan and others:

Your Committee is of the opinion that a splendid work is being done by the Odd Fellows League and Relief Board in the City of Chicago but this work in its character is largely local. It is true that this organization is called upon to extend relief to many members of the Order without the jurisdiction of Illinois and also without the City of Chicago, but work of this character is being done by all the cities of the State of Illinois and while your Committee would be glad to recommend that financial aid be extended by this Grand Lodge yet we are of the opinion that it would be a bad precedent and that in case this Grand Lodge should extend aid to this organization, then it would be the duty of this Grand Lodge to extend aid to all other cities within the jurisdiction of Illinois, and we deem that this is not advisable but would refer this to the incoming Grand Master for his consideration.

Fraternally submitted,

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Report adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 52.

First report, by Bro. Charles D. Brainard, of No. 21.
To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Printing would respectfully report as follows:

We have audited the bills of Phillips Brothers and find them correct as per contract.

D. H. CHAPMAN,
CHAS. D. BRAINARD.

DOCUMENT NO. 53.

Second report, by Bro. H. Robertson, of No. 645.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Printing would respectfully report as follows:

We have audited the bills of Phillips Brothers and find them correct, as per contract, amounting to \$892.95.

HOWARD ROBERTSON
D. H. CHAPMAN,
CHAS. D. BRAINARD.

DOCUMENT NO. 54.

Third report, by Bro. D. H. Chapman, of No. 762.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Printing would respectfully report as follows:

Bids for printing the Grand Lodge Journal, Officers' Reports, Daily Journal, the Report of the Proceedings of the Committee on Judiciary and Appeals, and stationery and supplies for the use of the various officers of the Grand Lodge, were received from Phillips Bros., The Illinois State Register and Edw. F. Hartman Co. The prices submitted are as follows:

GRAND LODGE JOURNAL.

	Per page.	Pickup.	Changes per hour.
Phillips Bros.	\$3.25	\$0.65	\$1.25
Illinois State Register	3.50	.50	1.25
E. F. Hartmann Co.....	3.75	.55	....

OFFICERS' REPORTS.

Phillips Bros.	\$2.80	\$0.65	\$1.25
Illinois State Register.....	3.00	2.00	1.25
E. F. Hartmann Co.	3.25	....	....

DAILY JOURNAL.

Phillips Bros.	\$3.35	....	\$1.25
Illinois State Register.....	3.50	....	.75
E. F. Hartmann Co.....	3.60	....	....

REPORT ON JUDICIARY AND APPEALS.

Phillips Bros.	\$3.50	\$0.50	....
Illinois State Register.....	3.75	.60	....

CONTRACT AWARDED PHILLIPS BROS.

Phillips Bros. being lowest on the three bidders on stationery and supplies, were awarded this contract also, bid being \$2.25; E. F. Hartman Co. bid being \$3.30.

D. H. CHAPMAN,
CHAS. D. BRAINARD,
HOWARD ROBERTSON.

Reports, Documents 52, 53, 54 adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 55.

Report by Bro. J. Johansen, of No. 412.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee to which the Resolution by P. G. M. Fred B. Merrills, Document 41, was referred does not concur in same, and recommend same be not adopted.

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Report adopted.

Bro. George Harland, Grand Master of the Jurisdiction of Michigan, was then introduced and addressed the Grand Lodge on the subject of the fraternal mission of Odd Fellowship.

Bro. Fred A. Rogers, Grand Secretary of the same Jurisdiction, followed Bro. Harland in the same strain, both brothers being applauded with great and prolonged cheers.

On behalf of the Grand Lodge the Grand Master presented to Bro. James N. Brown, of No. 57, at Chester, a 50-year jewel, having been initiated March 26th, 1866. Bro. Brown responded feelingly.

On motion of Bro. Owen Scott the appeal of Price Johnson vs. Russellville Lodge, No. 911, was dismissed and the judgment of the Judiciary and Appeals Committee affirmed.

The Grand Master appointed the following brothers to fill vacancies on the

Committee on the State of the Order—James Jeffries, of No. 639; J. Johansen, of No. 412.

DOCUMENT NO. 56.

DONATIONS TO THE ENDOWMENT FUND.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Endowment Trustees submit the following report of donations by Lodges, Rebekah Lodges, Encampments, other organizations and individuals at the session of the Grand Lodge held Tuesday, November 19.

1 Western Star.....	5.00	164 Savanna	50.00
2 Harmonize	\$ 25.00	165 Commercial	20.00
6 Sangamon	25.00	166 Capitol	20.00
11 Duane	10.00	179 Queen City.....	10.00
13 Marion	20.00	189 Carmi	20.00
15 Olive Branch	10.00	198 Colfax	10.00
18 Rock Island	10.00	202 Bohemia	10.00
22 Excelsior	10.00	206 McLean	20.00
23 DesPlaines	5.00	215 Camp Point	10.00
25 Neilson	5.00	217 Cicero	10.00
29 Powhan	60.00	218 Howard	16.50
38 Erie	10.00	219 Wm. Tell	15.00
39 Dixon	10.00	221 Harmonia	10.00
41 Ottawa	34.00	225 Sidell	15.00
43 Madison	10.00	230 Hickory Grove	10.00
44 Memento	20.00	231 Praha	20.00
52 Sparta	10.00	234 West Jersey	10.00
58 Robert Blum	10.00	240 Cook County	25.00
66 Magnolia	2.00	241 Southern	10.00
73 Pike	5.00	244 Wyoming	10.00
75 Star	25.00	250 Mound City	10.00
77 Remembrance	30.00	270 LaClyde	10.00
80 Harvey	10.00	272 Plzen	10.00
81 Naperville	5.50	275 Grove City	10.00
86 Chosen Friends	10.00	280 Warren Park	20.00
88 Lacon	5.00	282 Bridgeport	10.00
96 Stark	10.00	284 Charity	20.00
102 Arcanus	25.00	288 Kenwood	30.00
105 Sycamore	20.00	290 Livingston	10.00
106 Hutsonville	10.00	295 River Grove	10.00
107 Carlinville	10.00	296 Cabery	10.00
110 Suburban	10.00	302 Ashley	10.00
112 Astoria	5.00	303 Concordia	5.00
115 Triple Link	10.00	316 Tuscola	10.00
122 Vandalla	2.00	319 McKinley Park	10.00
146 Durand	10.00	329 Goethe	40.00

333 Champaign	10.00	567 Aurora	5.00
336 Barry	5.00	579 Bradford	20.00
350 New Century	10.00	580 Ashkum	10.00
353 Hoffnung	10.00	583 Swedish Olive	30.00
361 John Ericsson	100.00	584 Linne	10.00
363 Williamsville	5.00	588 New Athens	5.00
374 Golden Rule	10.00	590 Advance	10.00
402 Eagle	10.00	592 Fraternal	5.00
404 Waggoner	10.00	601 Loyal	50.00
406 Kempton	5.00	603 Centennial	10.00
407 Lily of the West..	10.00	618 Beacon	15.00
412 Bentley	20.00	626 Orient	20.00
421 Greenwood	10.00	630 Palacky	25.00
423 Greenview	10.00	639 Brighton Park	10.00
429 Marble City	5.00	640 Wilton	5.00
430 Herrin	25.00	643 Elco	5.00
432 Douglas	10.00	657 LaFayette	10.00
435 Pride of the Valley..	10.00	658 Humboldt Park	10.00
446 First Scandinavian..	10.00	660 Monee	10.00
455 Berwyn	10.00	662 Sheridan	10.00
462 Pleasant Hill	10.00	666 J. G. Whittier.....	10.00
476 Raymond	10.00	668 East Peoria	10.00
477 Olympia	20.00	680 Breese	8.60
479 North Shore	20.00	686 Orion	10.00
480 Helvetia	10.00	689 Kent	10.24
484 Southwestern	10.00	695 Broughton	10.00
485 Manufacturers	25.00	699 Norden	25.00
488 South Park	10.00	709 Owaneco	10.00
489 Morning Star	5.00	717 Deering	38.29
496 A. C. Marsh	20.00	725 Hume	25.00
499 Federal	10.00	727 Modesto	10.00
501 Palmer	5.00	732 South Star.....	10.00
506 New Chicago	25.00	740 DeLand	10.00
509 Normal	20.00	750 Downers Grove	5.00
517 Golden Link	25.00	767 Hebron	10.00
519 Coal City	10.00	812 Three Links	50.00
531 Rising Sun	20.00	826 LaMotte	10.00
532 Sherrard	1.00	831 Souvenir	20.00
541 Chrisman	10.00	841 Peotone	10.00
544 Northern Light	5.00	852 Granite City	10.00
553 Castleton	10.00	864 Bowen	10.00
555 Clinton	10.00	871 Avondale	10.00
561 John G. Potts	10.00	873 Steeleville	10.00
562 Rogers Park	10.00	878 White City	21.00

879 Sherwood	20.00	1037 Karel Havlicek	25.00
885 Sampson	5.00	M. P. Berry, Grand Lodge	
889 Primas	10.00	Treasurer, interest on	
892 A. T. Sherman.....	10.00	funds of Grand Lodge..	1,000.00
903 Golden Star	10.00		
909 Golden Deeds	11.00		
913 Industry	10.00	INDIVIDUAL.	
933 Carnation	41.50	E. S. Conway	100.00
934 Automobile	10.00	Clide McAlister	1.00
948 G. Carducci	10.00	W. E. P. Anderson	5.00
949 Beechwood	10.00	Members Galesburg,	
952 Richview	10.00	No. 142	7.00
955 Annapolis	5.00	Cook County Odd Fellows	
977 Ashton	5.00	Picnic and Anniversary	
980 West Sharon	4.00	Organization	100.00
986 Mulkeytown	5.00	Dr. C. A. Robbins	5.00
990 John Corson Smith..	10.00	Hy F. Segert of 956.....	2.00
1001 Fordville	10.00	George Coley	2.00
1003 Wheaton	5.00	Mack D. Overstreet.....	1.00
1007 South Side	10.00	Henry Roe	5.00
1009 Mississippi Valley..	10.00	Members Brothers Lodge	
1011 Fillmore	10.00	No. 589	11.00
1014 Elburn	5.00	F. D. P. Snelling	50.00
1026 Homewood	10.00	Indian Head Encampment	
1027 Buffalo Hart	10.00	No. 83	10.00
1031 Tri City	10.00	Wm. H. Winter of No. 431.	2.00
1035 Universal Peace	10.00	Total	\$3,876.63

There being no further business, the Closing Ode was sung, the Chaplain offered prayer and the Grand Master declared the Grand Lodge closed until 8:30 Thursday morning.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1918

REPRESENTATIVES' HALL, STATE HOUSE,

Thursday, Nov. 21, 1918, 8:30 O'Clock A. M.

The Grand Lodge met pursuant to adjournment, Grand Master Blood in the chair.

Present: All Grand Officers and a quorum of Representatives.

The Grand Marshal, with his assistants, having examined the members present, reported all correct.

The Opening Ode was sung and the Grand Chaplain offered prayer.

The Daily Journal of yesterday was received and distributed.

Also a copy of the "Illinois Blue Book," by courtesy of the Secretary of State Hon. Louis L. Emerson.

On motion a rising vote of thanks was extended to the Secretary of State for his courtesy and thoughtfulness.

On motion of Bro. Owen Scott, P.G.M., the rules were suspended and all reports and resolutions were acted upon on presentation.

A call was made as to the number of sons, grandsons, brothers or other relations of members in the service of our country willing to pay the supreme sacrifice that liberty may prevail. It was found that nearly all present responded.

Bro. A. B. Chadwick, of No. 214, presented to the Grand Master some historical documents handed to him just prior to his death, by the late Samuel Willard, author of Willard's Code of the laws of Odd Fellowship in Illinois. These were accepted on behalf of the Grand Lodge.

The Grand Master announced appointment to fill vacancy on
Committee on Legislation—George Omer, of No. 215.

DOCUMENT NO. 57.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

DEAR BROTHERS: The following legislation has been adopted by the Rebekah State Assembly now in session and the approval of the Grand Lodge is respectfully asked.

CHANGE IN ASSEMBLY BY-LAWS.

Article 1, Section 1 of the By-Laws of the Assembly shall be amended to read:

Article I—Salaries of Officers.

Section 1. The salary of the President shall be six hundred dollars (\$600) per annum, and expenses not to exceed two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250); that the salary of the Secretary shall be nine hundred dollars (\$900) per annum, and necessary expenses; that of the Treasurer, one hundred dollars (\$100) per year and necessary office expenses; that of the Chief of Examiners, two hundred dollars (\$200) per annum and necessary office expenses. The Vice-President shall be allowed an amount not to exceed one hundred twenty-five dollars (\$125) and the warden an amount not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100) per annum to be used as traveling expenses in the interests of the Order.

ADDITION TO REBEKAH LODGE CONSTITUTION.

The following shall be added to Article XI, Section 4, to read:

Section 4. (a). HOME DUES. In addition to the dues provided by the By-Laws of the Lodge, each member shall pay an additional sum of twenty cents per annum, payable semi-annually, which sum shall be used for the maintenance, repairs or other such things as may be deemed advisable to purchase for the Orphans' Home and the Old Folks' Home, as recommended by the State President and Auxiliary and Advisory Boards of these Homes, subject to the approval of the Trustees of said Homes. It shall be the duty of the Financial Secretary to collect these payments in the same manner and order as other payments or dues and remit the same to the Assembly Secretary with the per capita tax.

Fraternally submitted,

MAE E. CROWELL, . . .

The foregoing is approved.

E. R. SAYLER,

For the Committee on Rebekah Degree.

Which was adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 58.

To the Rebekah State Assembly of Illinois:

WHEREAS, We are of the opinion that a change every six (6) months in the office of Noble Grand (which is the most essential office in the Lodge) as much of the welfare and prosperity depends upon her judgment and discretion;

THEREFORE, We believe that a term of six (6) months as presiding officer, neither does that officer justice, or gives the Lodge a capable officer except for a very short duration, as a Noble Grand upon assuming her duties is usually very nervous and timid in her station for the first few meetings, and with Lodges meeting twice a month, the term is therefore nearly half expired when the Noble Grand begins to do her best work in the office and to change the presiding officer at that time is not, in our opinion, for the best interests of the Lodge. In so short a time as six months, many Lodges find it very hard to elect an officer as Vice Grand who will be able and competent in every respect to fulfill the duties as Noble Grand in six months time, as nothing adds to a Lodge or a meeting of any kind, or makes it as interesting and dignified as much as to have it conducted in a good business like manner by a capable and efficient officer presiding.

Also the office of Recording Secretary is a very important one as this officer should be very accurate in recording the minutes and the affairs and business of the Lodge and transacting the various other duties incumbent on such an officer, and we deem it as important to retain this officer in office for one year instead of the short term of six months.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That Section 2, Article VI, of the Constitution for Rebekah Lodges of Illinois which reads as follows:

ELECTIONS WHEN HELD.

The elective officers (except the Treasurer, and Financial Secretary) shall be nominated and elected on the first regular meeting in June and December and shall hold their respective offices for six months and until their successors shall have been installed. They shall be installed at the first meeting in January and July. The Treasurer and Financial Secretary (if there be one) shall be elected in December and shall be installed at the first meeting in January. If a public installation of officers be held it may be at any other time than that specified above but not prior to the first meeting in January and July.

That the same be changed to read as follows:

ELECTIONS WHEN HELD.

Article VI, Section 2. The elective officers, that of Noble Grand, Vice Grand, Recording Secretary, Treasurer and Financial Secretary (if there be one) shall be nominated and elected on the first regular meeting in December and shall hold their respective offices for a term of twelve months and until their successors shall have been installed. They shall be installed at the first meeting in January. If a public installation of officers be held, it may be at any other time than that specified above but not prior to the first meeting in January.

If the same be approved we recommend that it be effective for the next term of office, beginning January first.

Not approved.

E. R. SAYLER,

Chairman for Rebekah Committee.

Report was adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 59.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

DEAR BROTHERS: The following recommendation of the President, Sister Irene W. Cooper, has been unanimously approved by the Rebekah State Assembly now in session.

"I recommend that we ask the Grand Lodge to restore the Chapel Organ fund, of the Old Folks' Home, now in their treasury, to the Rebekah Assembly treasury, to be used as needed for the benefit of the Old Folks' Home."

The history of the Chapel Organ Fund is hereto attached.

Fraternally submitted,

MAE E. CROWELL,

Secretary.

Approved by the committee.

E. R. SAYLER,

Chairman for the Committee.

Which was adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 60.

HISTORY OF CHAPEL ORGAN FUND.

During the term of Mrs. Ella Watson Reeve, as President of the Rebekah State Assembly (1908-1909) a "silver offering" was asked from the Rebekahs of Illinois for the benefit of the Homes.

That given to the Old Folks' Home to be used for a pipe organ for the chapel and known as the "Chapel Organ Fund."

October 31, 1910 the proceeds of this fund, to the amount of \$793.45 was sent to J. R. Watson, Supt. Old Folks' Home, on voucher drawn and signed by Mae E. Crowell, President, and Mary P. Miller, Secretary.

The sum of \$53.00 had been received at the Home for this fund, making a total of \$846.45 contributed by the Rebekahs for Chapel Organ Fund.

The records of this transaction are found in Rebekah Journal of 1909, pages 3623-3624 and Journal of 1910, page 3984.

Grand Lodge Journal of 1910, pages 191-205, Journal 1911, page 232. In each Grand Lodge Journal down to the present date this amount of \$846.45 is carried in the summary of the funds of the Old Folks' Home and the keeping of the Grand Treasurer.

It has been decided by the Trustees and Advisory Board of the Old Folks' Home that it is not advisable to have a pipe organ in the chapel.

Therefore the Rebekah Assembly respectfully request that this money be restored to the Assembly treasury and be used for the benefit of the old Folks' Home.

Which was adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 61.

At the session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge in 1917 the following was adopted. (See p. 328, 1917, Illinois Grand Lodge Journal.)

MINIMUM BENEFIT LAW.

The Minimum Benefit Law was amended by striking out the requirement that, after one year, not less than one dollar per week shall be paid during the continuance of said sickness. In other words the compulsory part is eliminated.

The benefits paid by Subordinate Lodges shall not be less than two dollars per week until the Brother shall have received fifty-two weeks' benefits, and shall be paid weekly.

Grand Bodies shall have power and authority to enact By-Laws abolishing weekly benefits, after the payment of fifty-two weeks' benefits, and authorizing Subordinate Lodges to do the same.

RESOLVED, That we amend the Subordinate Lodge Constitution, Section 9, Article X, by striking out the second proviso and inserting in lieu thereof, "that this Lodge may provide in its By-Laws that the payment of sick benefits may be discontinued to Brothers who may have been sick and received sick benefits continuously for the period of one year. Said article to read as follows when amended.

WEEKLY BENEFITS Section 9, Article X. Every beneficiary member of this Lodge, in case of sickness or disability not caused by vice or immorality on his part, shall be entitled to and receive from the funds of the Lodge such weekly benefits as may be fixed by the By-Laws, not less than \$2.00 a week; but no sick benefits shall be allowed for less than a week's sickness or for the fractional part of a week: *Provided*, that this Lodge may provide in its By Laws for a sick bene-

fit to be paid to third degree members only, entitled to benefits; but if benefits are allowed at all to members of the initiatory, first and second degrees, it must not be at a less rate than \$2.00 per week: *Provided further*, that this Lodge may provide in its By-Laws that the payment of sick benefits may be discontinued to Brothers who may have been sick and received sick benefits continuously for the period of one year: *Provided, further*, that when a third degree member has received the maximum rate of benefits for one year and then is declared off the sick list, he shall not again be entitled to the maximum rate of benefits until one year after he has been declared off the sick list: *Provided further*, that this lodge may provide by By-Law that no benefit shall be paid for the first one or two weeks of such sickness, or disability: *Provided further*, that a Brother who is ill outside of the jurisdiction of this Lodge, in order to receive benefits, shall furnish the Lodge a certificate of a regular practicing physician in the following form:

To the Officers and Members of Lodge No....., I. O. O. F.:

I,a practicing physician, residing at.....hereby certify that I have professionally attendedat.....that he is suffering from.....; that such.....was caused by.....and well acquainted with Dr.....who that my first visit was on the.....day of....., 19... and my last on the.....day of....., 19....; that in my opinion, he has been unable to follow his avocation ofor any other work from theday of....., 19...., to theday of....., 19....; and that such.....was not caused on account of intemperance or any other immoral conduct.

.....M. D.

The undersigned hereby certify that they are (or he is) personally and well acquainted with Dr.....who signed the foregoing certificate; that he is a reputable physician, in good standing and entitled to full faith and credit.

Witness.....hand and seal at.....thisday of....., 19....

.....N. G.
.....Sec'y.

J. HENRY DEBUS, No. 540,

A. OTIS ARNOLD, No. 12,

PHILLIP REITZ, No. 29.

Amendment adopted by a four-fifths vote of all members present.

The Grand Lodge proceeded to the consideration of reports of committees.

The report of the Committee on Dropping of Members for Non-Payment of Dues found in Wednesday's Journal was adopted.

Doc. 26. First report of the Committee on State of the Order was considered and adopted.

Doc. 27. Second report of the same committee was considered and adopted.

Doc. 28. Third report of the same committee was considered and adopted.

Doc. 29. Fourth report of the same committee was considered. It was moved by Bro. Scott to amend by striking out July 4th and inserting Nov. 11th. The amendment prevailed, and the report as amended was adopted.

Doc. 30. Fifth report of the same committee was considered and adopted.

Doc. 32. Report of the Committee on Rebekah Degree was considered and adopted.

Doc. 33. The majority report of the Committee on Legislation was considered. It was moved to substitute the minority report. (See page 350 for minority report.)

Bro. Crowder, P.G.M., moved to postpone consideration for one year.

Bro. Merrills, P.G.M., moved to lay the whole subject on the table. The motion to lay on the table was carried.

Doc. 43. The report of the Committee on Judiciary and Appeals was considered and adopted.

Doc. 46. Eighth report of the Committee on Finance was considered and adopted.

Doc. 47. Tenth report of the same committee was considered and adopted.

Doc. 48. Eleventh report of the same committee was considered and adopted.

Doc. 51. The report of the Committee on State of the Order was considered and adopted.

Doc. 52. Third report of the Committee on Legislation was considered and laid on the table.

Doc. 53. Twelfth report of the Committee on Finance was considered and adopted.

Docs. 54, 55 and 56. The reports of the Committee on Printing were considered and adopted.

Doc. 57. The report of the Committee on State of the Order was considered and adopted. (See Document No. 41.)

DOCUMENT NO. 63.

Thirteenth report, by Bro. G. F. Koester, of No. 601.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report as follows:

In regard to Document No. 39 offered by R. H. T. Nesbitt of No. 793 that the subject matter of his resolution pertains to a request for a monthly allowance for work done for the benefit of Odd Fellow Sailors of the Great Lakes Naval Training Station at Waukegan, Ill., and therefore should be referred to the War Relief Commission for consideration.

Fraternally submitted,

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Which was adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 64.

Fourteenth report by Bro. James Ewing Davis, of No. 990.
To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report as follows:

Relative to document No. 35 offered by Past Grand Master A. Otis Arnold proposing to secure a field man to devote his talent and energy to work among the lodges of this state. This committee has realized the weak conditions of many lodges throughout the state for several years and have endeavored to co-operate in every way possible in endeavoring to strengthen these lodges, but are of the opinion that it is impossible for the Grand Master during his term of office to make but very little progress in overcoming conditions set forth in this resolution. We believe that this Grand Lodge should make earnest effort to strengthen the weak and struggling lodges of this state and we further believe that the trial should be made as to the methods proposed in this resolution.

We therefore recommend that the Grand Master be empowered to employ a competent Brother who will devote his talent and energy to work among the lodges of the state, to give instructions to the officers and members, suggest ways and means, co-operate with the Deputies, Officers and members, systemitize and organize the work throughout the state under the direction of the Grand Master. At the last session of the Grand Lodge there was appropriated the sum of \$500.00 for the purpose of assisting weak lodges. We believe that this amount should be increased by adding thereto the additional sum of \$1500.00 making the total sum \$2000.00, which should be appropriated to cover the compensation and expenses connected with the employment of a competent man by the Grand Master.

We further recommend that this appropriation should be for the coming year only, and not to be considered permanent.

The Grand Master is willing that \$600.00 of the \$1200.00 usually allowed for the Grand Master's stenographer be applied towards bearing a portion of this expense.

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Which was adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 65.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report as follows:

The Grand Master and Grand Secretary having made the following appointments, your Committee would recommend payment for services as follows:

A. C. Low, Assistant Grand Secretary, of No. 6.....	\$ 30.00
H. J. Reeziger, Minute Clerk, of No. 488.....	50.00
Owen Scott, proof reading, of No. 186.....	25.00
Hazel Hobbs, Grand Lodge stenographer.....	17.50
Edward Priestman, Custodian, of No. 6.....	15.00
F. W. Jackson, of No. 217, Messenger for Grand Master.....	15.00
H. B. Carley, Messenger for Grand Secretary, of No. 465.....	15.00
Sven Windrow, Official Reporter, of No. 812.....	15.00
E. B. Hackelman, Assistant Grand Guardian, of No. 270.....	15.00
Edw. O. Guyton, Assistant Grand Guardian, of No. 1026.....	15.00
Arthur Mason, Assistant Grand Guardian, of No. 321.....	15.00
A. K. Doran, Assistant Grand Guardian, of No. 336.....	15.00
J. H. Byers, Assistant Grand Guardian, of No. 886.....	15.00
J. A. Tucker, Janitor State House.....	50.00
Allen Call, Stenographer Legislation Committee.....	30.00
Nelson Foley, Chairman M. and P. Committee.....	15.00

Faternally submitted

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Which was adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 66.

Fifth report, by Bro. O. H. Richards, of No. 53.

Your Committee on Legislation would respectfully report as follows:

We have carefully examined document No. 61 providing for an amendment to Section 9, article 10, Subordinate Lodge Constitution to the effect that sick benefits may be discontinued after the payment thereof for one year consecutively, and this Committee recommends the adoption of said amendment.

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Which was adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 67.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Second Resolution by Finance Committee whereas we have at present a balance in the Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief Fund which may not be sufficient to meet all obligations incurred by this Grand Lodge by legislation for the benefit of our Odd Fellows in the army and navy of the United States and,

Whereas, We are desirous of being at all time in a financial condition to meet any and all contingencies that may arise, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Grand Master by and with the consent and approval of the War Relief Commission may at any time after June 1, 1919, if in their judgment thought expedient, levy an additional capitation tax, not exceeding sixty (60) cents per member, for the purpose of meeting all such contingencies. Such additional capitation tax when collected shall be placed to the credit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief Fund.

Fraternally submitted

GEORGE F. KOESTER,
JAMES EWING DAVIS,
CICERO J. LINDLEY.

Which was unanimously adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 68.

Fifteenth report by Bro. G. F. Koester, of No. 601.

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully report as follows:

In regard to Receipts and Disbursements of the Grand Lodge for the fiscal year:

GENERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand	\$ 32,577.42
Capitation tax 100,000 members estimated	40,000.00
Profits on supplies, estimated	1,000.00
Total	\$ 73,577.42

DISBURSEMENTS.

Mileage and per diem, 1918.....	\$ 18,000.00
Mileage and per diem, 1919.....	18,000.00
Grand Master's salary	1,200.00
Grand Master's stenographer	600.00
Grand Master's office expense	600.00
Grand Secretary's salary	2,500.00
Grand Secretary's clerk and stenographer.....	2,200.00
Grand Secretary's office expenses, light, postage, water, phone, telegraph, etc.....	3,000.00
Grand Secertary's expense to Sovereign Grand Lodge....	100.00
Grand Treasurer's salary	100.00
Sovereign Grand Lodge tax	150.00
Sundry Committees' exepenses	1,000.00
Grand Lodge stationery	2,000.00

Grand Lodge session sundries	500.00
Printing officers' Reports, 1918	1,000.00
Printing Daily Journal, 1918.....	500.00
Printing Grand Lodge Journal, 1918.....	2,000.00
Editing Grand Lodge Journal, 1918.....	200.00
Official Visitations, Special Deputies, District Deputies and Schools of Instruction	3,000.00
Fieldman—covering his salary and traveling and incidental expenses	2,000.00
Surety bonds	475.00
Total estimated disbursements	\$ 59,125.00
Estimated balance	14,452.42
\$ 73,577.42	

We, therefore recommend that the sum of \$59,125.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be appropriated to provide for the purposes above named, and that the Grand Master and the Grand Secretary be authorized to draw Grand Lodge warrants on the Grand Treasurer therefore, at such times and in such amounts as may be necessary to pay the legitimate bills of the Grand Lodge, as itemized accounts therefor may be presented. We, therefore, recommend that a per capita tax of forty cents (40c) per member be levied against the Subordinate Lodges, twenty cents to be payable January 1, 1919, and twenty cents payable July 1, 1919.

HOME TAX FUND.

Balance on hand\$ 13,486.00

RECEIPTS.

Home Tax 100,000 members (estimated at \$1.00)..... 100,000.00

Total\$113,486.00

DISBURSEMENTS.

Orphans' Home appropriation\$ 50,000.00

Old Folks' Home appropriation 48,000.00

Total\$ 98,000.00

Estimated Balance\$ 15,486.00

We, therefore, recommend that the sum of \$98,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be disbursed and that the Grand Master and the Grand Secretary be authorized to draw warrants on the Grand

Treasurer therefor, at such time and in such amounts to pay the legitimate bills of the respective Homes as itemized bills therefor may be presented. The above fund is provided for by Home tax of \$1.00, payable 50 cents on January 1, 1919, and 50 cents payable on July 1, 1919, as per resolution of Grand Lodge.

Fraternally submitted,

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Which was adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 69.

Whereas, Thomas Jackson Graham, a member of Dwight Lodge No. 513 was initiated in Vigilant Lodge No. 155 of Pennsylvania on or about the first Monday in December, 1867, and

Whereas, Brother Graham has been a member of Dwight Lodge for approximately thirty-five years, and

Whereas, On account of the consolidation of Vigilant Lodge and on account of the loss of the records of Vigilant Lodge it is impossible to secure the necessary certificate in order to get for Brother Graham the fifty year jewel given by the Grand Lodge of Illinois, and

Whereas, The membership of Brother Graham has been established for more than fifty years, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Grand Secretary of this Grand Lodge be instructed and authorized to deliver a fifty year jewel to Brother Graham upon the presentation of the requisite evidence showing the continuous chain of membership for fifty years.

And Be It Further Resolved, That the requisite evidence shall be Brother Graham's affidavit showing him membership in Vigilant Lodge No. 155 and a certificate from Dwight Lodge No. 513 covering his period of membership in said Dwight Lodge.

MARTIN H. NELSON,

Representative Dwight Lodge No. 513.

Adopted.

DOCUMENT NO. 70.

Eighth report by Bro. Edward H. Taylor, of No. 717.

To the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F.:

Your Committee on State of the Order would respectfully report as follows: Would recommend that the fifty year jewel be issued to Bro. T. J. Graham.

SIGNED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Bro. John J. Brown, P.G.M., E. R. Sayler, P.G.M., and John W. Yantis were appointed a special committee to prepare suitable resolutions thanking the Grand Officers for their efficient service during the past year, also the committee and citizens of Springfield for their reception and entertainment of the members of the Grand Lodge during their stay in the capital city of Illinois.

Also to the Governor for his excellent address, and to the Secretary of State for the kindness and hospitality in the use of the State House and to Bro. Richard Yates, Congressman at large, for his eloquent address at the Grand Lodge.

The resolutions when prepared to be printed in the Journal.

The bonds of the Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer were unanimously approved.

Bro. Lucas announced that Bro. S. S. Tanner had contributed \$100.00 to the Walter Williams fund to pay for his education. Bro. Williams having been a member of the Orphans' Home and was desirous of completing his education as civil engineer.

INSTALLATION OF GRAND OFFICERS.

By direction of the Grand Master Bro. James Ewing Davis installed the following Grand Officers for the ensuing term, Bro. John W. Yantis, P.G.M., acting as Grand Marshal, and Bro. Chas. S. Harris, P.G.M., acting as Grand Guardian:

L. M. KAGY.....	Grand Master
John W. BIRNEY.....	Deputy Grand Master
C. A. ROBBINS.....	Grand Warden
JOHN H. SIKES.....	Grand Secretary
MELVIN P. BERRY.....	Grand Treasurer

The Grand Master announced the following appointments:

Grand Chaplain—Robert E. Henry, Moline No. 485.

Grand Marshal—Andrew G. Anderson, Chicago, No. 812.

Grand Conductor—J. Johansen, Carthage, No. 412.

Grand Guardian—Charles Gum, Greenville, No. 3.

Grand Herald—Joe T. North, Farmer City, No. 126.

Grand Instructor—Henry M. Blood, Chicago, No. 645.

Assistant Grand Instructor—Charles M. Hunt, Chicago, No.

II.

Trustee, Endowment Fund—F. D. P. Snelling, No. 601.
(Three years.)

Judiciary and Appeals Committee—John W. Fling, Jr., Wyoming, No. 244. (Five years.)

Member Orphans' Home Board—W. R. McGaughey.

Member Rebekah Advisory Board—Catherine Hoefer.

Member Old Folks' Home Board—(Five years)—Harry G. Cormick.

Member Rebekah Advisory Board, Old Folks' Home—
(Five years)—Irene W. Cooper, P.P.

On motion of Bro. Owen Scott, P.G.M., the appointment of Bro. John W. Fling on the Committee on Judiciary and Appeals, and Bro. F. D. P. Snelling, Trustee Endowment Fund were confirmed.

No further business appearing, America as the Closing Ode was sung, the Grand Chaplain offered prayer, and the Grand Lodge was closed in regular form.


Grand Secretary.

DISTRICTS AND DEPUTIES.

Pursuant to legislation adopted at the last session of the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., the Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master and Grand Secretary have divided the State of Illinois into 71 districts. (The names of the District Deputy Grand Masters for the several districts are not given because the list is incomplete. Each Deputy will receive his commission as soon as the selection is made.) Districts are as follows:

Cook and DuPage Counties.

District No. 1—Lodges No. 2, 80, 238, 626, 766, 817, 1026

District No. 2—Lodges No. 113, 198, 271, 288, 320, 450, 517, 716, 751, 782, 825, 1022.

District No. 3—Lodges No. 42, 59, 240, 319, 361, 448, 509, 584, 639, 666, 722, 822, 858, 908, 990.

District No. 4—Lodges No. 58, 221, 353, 329, 389, 398, 407, 432, 467, 477, 506, 561, 756.

District No. 5—Lodges No. 22, 261, 488, 587, 665, 903, 933, 1035.

District No. 6—Lodges No. 11, 281, 330, 350, 402, 645, 658, 878, 909.

District No. 7—Lodges No. 190, 295, 328, 544, 699, 708, 847, 856, 871, 1041.

District No. 8—Lodges No. 8, 9, 141, 214, 362, 416, 440, 484, 521, 698, 868, 916, 948.

District No. 9—Lodges No. 10, 331, 479, 562, 601, 673, 717, 812, 892.

District No. 10—Lodges No. 55, 162, 231, 272, 299, 540, 630, 831, 917, 1032, 1037.

District No. 11—Lodges No. 14, St. Charles; 81, Naperville; 187, Glen Ellyn; 217, Oak Park; 246, Maywood; 429, Marble City; 718, Batavia; 750, Downers Grove; 1003, Wheaton; 1030, Oak Park.

District No. 12—Lodges No. 110, LaGrange; 202, Chicago; 280, Chicago; 455, Berwyn; 800, Cicero; 693, Brookfield; 531, Cicero.

Other Counties.

District No. 13—Lake, McHenry.

District No. 14—Boone, Winnebago.

District No. 15—Stephenson, JoDaviess.

District No. 16—Ogle, DeKalb.

- District No. 17—Kane (except 14 and 718), Kendall.
- District No. 18—Lee, Whiteside, Carroll.
- District No. 19—Will, Grundy.
- District No. 20—LaSalle.
- District No. 21—Bureau.
- District No. 22—Putnam, Stark, Marshall.
- District No. 23—Rock Island, Henry.
- District No. 24—Mercer.
- District No. 25—Henderson, Warren.
- District No. 26—Knox.
- District No. 27—Peoria, Woodford, Tazewell.
- District No. 28—Livingston, Kankakee.
- District No. 29—Iroquois.
- District No. 30—Ford, Champaign.
- District No. 31—Vermilion.
- District No. 32—McLean.
- District No. 33—Hancock.
- District No. 34—McDonough.
- District No. 35—Fulton.
- District No. 36—Adams.
- District No. 37—Schuyler, Brown, Cass.
- District No. 38—Mason, Menard, Logan.
- District No. 39—Macon, DeWitt, Piatt.
- District No. 40—Pike.
- District No. 41—Scott, Morgan.
- District No. 42—Sangamon.
- District No. 43—Christian.
- District No. 44—Shelby.
- District No. 45—Moultrie, Douglas.
- District No. 46—Coles.
- District No. 47—Edgar.
- District No. 48—Clark, Cumberland.
- District No. 49—Montgomery.
- District No. 50—Macoupin.
- District No. 51—Green, Jersey, Calhoun.
- District No. 52—Madison.
- District No. 53—Bond, Fayette.
- District No. 54—Effingham, Clay.
- District No. 55—Jasper.
- District No. 56—Crawford.
- District No. 57—Richland, Lawrence.
- District No. 58—Marion.
- District No. 59—Clinton, Washington.
- District No. 60—St. Clair, Monroe.

- District No. 61—Randolph, Perry.
- District No. 62—Jefferson.
- District No. 63—Wayne.
- District No. 64—Edwards, Wabash.
- District No. 65—White, Hamilton.
- District No. 66—Franklin, Williamson.
- District No. 67—Jackson.
- District No. 68—Union, Johnson.
- District No. 69—Massac, Pope, Hardin
- District No. 70—Alexander, Pulaski.
- District No. 71—Saline, Gallatin.

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SPECIAL SESSIONS

The following Past Grands received the Grand Lodge Degree at the various places indicated below:

CENTRALIA, ILL., DEC. 10, 1917.

Name.	Lodge No.	Name.	Lodge No.
J. T. Brown.....	354	Geo. Matsler	179
A. L. Pitts.....	179	S. B. Warren.....	179
L. F. Baldridge.....	179	J. H. Meltebarger.....	179
T. E. McNail.....	179	C. M. Sargent.....	179
John Boswell	179	Geo. B. Mowen.....	108
E. M. Cobb.....	179	L. H. Jonas.....	108

OGLESBY, ILL., DEC. 14, 1917.

Name.	Lodge No.	Name.	Lodge No.
Dave A. Porter.....	41	Joseph Malcor	896
William Cox	34	C. N. Gray.....	1007
John Henkel	34	Alex Kidd, Jr.....	1007
James Felker	34	F. K. Stevens.....	1007
Albert Parsons	896	Charles Hartley	1007

ROCKFORD, ILL., DEC. 17, 1917.

Name.	Lodge No.	Name.	Lodge No.
A. O. Lindstrom.....	583	John G. Johnson.....	140
Albert J. Robinson.....	31	B. C. Morgan.....	31
Jas. E. Patten.....	31	W. A. Woolf	799
Berger Ohman	799	Alex Sundquist	799
Levi Johnson	799	Otto F. Knott.....	266
Hans P. Frigast.....	140	Tony Johnson	799
Frank E. Blomquist.....	799	Fred Helmer	31
George Knott	266	Aug. Swenson	799
John O. Olson.....	799	Ernest A. Beck.....	799
D. Harry Davis.....	140	John M. Pearson	799
Oscar W. Anderson.....	140	James M. Wise.....	31
Herman Carlson	799		

RANTOUL, ILL., JAN. 25, 1918.

Name.	Lodge No.	Name.	Lodge No.
F. A. Lindsey	237	Wm. Walkington	333
Jessy Jenkins	237	J. R. Cooper	337
M. L. Craig.....	237	W. S. Kiest	418
W. T. Hull.....	149	C. R. Roles	794
Jay Fry	237	M. B. Hyde.....	794

MARION, ILL., JAN. 26, 1918.

Name.	Lodge No.	Name.	Lodge No.
Henry C. Jones.....	392	Jno. W. Elkins.....	392
Chas. B. Robertson.....	392	A. L. Alexander.....	1036
Geo. W. Bond.....	392	P. J. Swan.....	392
Jno. A. Towery	392		

CLINTON, ILL., JAN. 30, 1918.

Name.	Lodge No.	Name.	Lodge No.
W. B. Coppenbarger.....	98	S. J. Lehman	98
W. P. Sarver.....	557	U. G. Davis.....	98
John Jones	126	W. S. Harrold.....	98
Lott Walton	126	Geo. H. Copperbarger.....	98
Elmer Wolrung	126	Fred T. Milligan.....	98
Lanler Robb	483	Edward E. Perkins.....	922
Fred Ryburn	483	Omer Bales.....	922
Jesse Perry	483	Abe McDaniel	183

CUBA, ILL., FEB. 2, 1918.

Name.	Lodge No.	Name.	Lodge No.
Robert A. Pusey.....	752	F. R. Snively.....	752
Clyde D. Taylor.....	752	Samuel Inman	752

McLEANSBORO, ILL., FEB. 6, 1918.

Name.	Lodge No.	Name.	Lodge No.
A. B. Anderson.....	191	E. L. Smith.....	191
L. Sturman	486	J. H. Gammon.....	835
D. J. Underwood.....	191	A. J. Foulk.....	191
Harrison Richards	191	Geo. W. Parkhurst.....	191
O. W. Acord	191	L. J. Lockwood.....	191
W. W. Daily.....	191	Thomas McPherson	315
A. Z. Pemberton.....	191		

ST. CHARLES, ILL., FEB. 15, 1918.

Name.	Lodge No.	Name.	Lodge No.
Ray W. Matteson.....	14	Hollis B. Routzalin.....	870
W. H. Allen.....	14	Donald McDonald.....	14
Frank C. Yarnal.....	1014	Erick J. F. Carlsson.....	14
N. C. Brown.....	14	E. J. Hahn.....	14
Swan Erickson.....	14	E. P. Phillips.....	14
Walter T. Rachielles.....	718	George J. Smith.....	492
R. H. Held.....	870	M. G. Patterson.....	45
Henry J. Hart.....	870	B. D. Galbraith.....	45
Earl C. Anderson.....	870	George Needham.....	718
Hollis Gilbert	14	F. T. Kline.....	1003
G. L. Crabtree.....	14	W. B. Kline.....	1003
Chas. L. Blanchard.....	14	William P. Deckert.....	1014
Fred Schumacher, Jr.....	870	Elmer F. Newton.....	1014
E. W. Burton.....	47	Willis Wilkison	1014
A. L. Maltby.....	14	C. M. Blanchard.....	14
Mark Cobb,	870		

LEXINGTON, ILL., FEB. 22, 1918.

Name.	Lodge No.	Name.	Lodge No.
J. M. Skinner.....	262	James A. Weir.....	206
H. W. Graeber	262	Lawrence Whiteman	206
L. G. England.....	262	Jerry J. Withers.....	206
Leslie M. Wheeler.....	206	Henry Hilger	206
Geo. E. Brown.....	206	John L. Farner.....	206
Shelton L. Smith.....	206		

Name.	Lodge No.	Name.	Lodge No.
Wm. Anderson	206	John Woodell	819
Thomas J. Kent.....	206	Harve Albin	262
Walter Preston Scott.....	206	J. S. Whitson	77
Albert Hibbs	819	James G. Arbogast.....	206

STERLING, ILL., MARCH 18, 1918.

Name.	Lodge No.	Name.	Lodge No.
E. W. Slater.....	590	B. E. Davenport.....	174
L. E. Lippincott.....	1004	Chas. Schumacher	174
M. L. McKenzie.....	590	P. J. McAllister.....	590
Guy Kelley	590	E. D. Rossiter.....	39
E. M. O'Hare.....	174	H. G. Tennant.....	39
Claire H. Law.....	174	W. L. Eddy.....	590
Wm. C. Loos	174		

DECATUR, ILL., MARCH 20, 1918.

Name.	Lodge No.	Name.	Lodge No.
I. E. Ball.....	65	F. C. Thomas.....	186
Simon Dienstbier	65	G. L. Speaks.....	595
Louis Schario	65		

BELLEVILLE, ILL., MARCH 30, 1918.

Name.	Lodge No.	Name.	Lodge No.
J. C. Swinney.....	539	Dan Kaffal	285
Wm. Gray	369	Lawrence Reuthers	480
J. E. Weise.....	369	L. C. Purtscher.....	480
Howard Kerchner	369	C. H. Chambers.....	480
G. Roy Weingartner.....	13	J. H. Root.....	480
Wm. J. Thompson.....	374	H. C. Robins.....	480
H. A. Holcomb.....	374	Jonas J. Burns.....	435
Chas. D. Barclay.....	374	Wm. Rieken	539
C. T. Gregg.....	1031	Eugene Peter	539
J. E. Thomas.....	1031	J. W. Byrd	650
D. J. McCart.....	1031	I. D. Dalton.....	650
C. N. Smith.....	1031	P. H. Jacobus.....	567
Chas. O. Beal.....	719	Chas Kaemper	567
James H. Yingst.....	435	A. H. Boges.....	119
Elmer J. Cramer.....	435	Aug. J. Kaffenberger.....	285
Christ Meinkoth	539	Arthur Rall	285
Geo. A. Boon.....	285	Henry Schmidt	285

DANVILLE, ILL., SEPT. 24, 1918.

Name.	Lodge No.	Name.	Lodge No.
Joe E. Talbott.....	69	Fred Schwinkendorf	499
J. C. Garriott.....	69	Arthur Ogden	499
L. W. Hole.....	69	Theodore Schultz	499
Arch Roush	69	H. J. Coit	499
John H. Nungesser.....	69	W. I. Ashby.....	538
John C. Brady.....	69	J. C. Jones.....	774
Arthur G. Edwards.....	69	Wm. Brewer	774
W. I. Kleffman.....	225	Edward Foster	853
W. H. Webster.....	225	James O'Connell	966
W. H. Baker.....	225	J. H. Pentecost.....	966
W. O. Ellis.....	469	F. M. Lang.....	966
A. B. Garner.....	499	Med Thomas	966
Wm. Linson	499	George Weidler	966
Fritz Meyer	499	Henry Snyder	966
Louis Bremer	499	Sidney S. Smith.....	973
A. W. Stuebe.....	499	W. C. Stearns.....	973

JOHN H. SIKES,

Grand Secretary.

THE FLAG CEREMONY.

The following was adopted by the Grand Lodge at its recent session and should be used by every Lodge prior to opening:

In order that there may be uniformity in the various lodges of the State a Flag Ceremony has been provided.

The Noble Grand calls the lodge to order and satisfies himself that all present are qualified to remain. Immediately following and before the lodge is opened he says:

"The Warden and the committee (previously designated by the Noble Grand, the Conductor may be one of the committee) will retire and present the flag of our country."

They retire, without ceremony, in single file, the Warden in the center. On reaching the ante-room the Warden takes the flag, which should be mounted on a staff, and with the committee returns to the inner door. He gives an alarm to attract the attention of the inside guardian. The inside guardian says:

"Noble Grand, the Warden and committee bearing the flag are ready to enter."

N. G.: "You will admit them."

As they enter, without signal, the lodge rises and sings the first verse of "My Country, 'Tis of Thee."

They enter, single file, the Warden, bearing the flag, in the center. They proceed to the center of the room, facing the Noble Grand. As soon as they have reached the center and the singing is completed, the one on the right opens the Bible on the altar before them.

(The Bible should be kept on the altar in the center of the room at all times, except when degrees are being conferred.)

The Noble Grand says:

"Brothers, salute the flag."

This is the regular military salute, bringing the open right hand to the right side of the forehead, then dropping it to the side.

The Warden and committee proceed in single file to the station of the Noble Grand and the flag is presented to the Noble Grand, who places it in a socket at his right hand.

The Warden and the committee then proceed to their places and the lodge is seated.

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES FOR 1919

Elective Officers.

Name and Residence.	Lodge No.	Title.
L. M. Kagy, Salem.....	104.....	Grand Master
John W. Birney, Bloomington.....	77.....	Deputy Grand Master
Dr. C. A. Robbins, Dixon.....	39.....	Grand Warden
John H. Sikes, Springfield.....	435.....	Grand Secretary
Melvin P. Berry, P.G.M., Carthage.....	412.....	Grand Treasurer
James Ewing Davis, Chicago.....	990.....	Grand Representative
H. M. Blood, Chicago.....	645.....	Grand Representative

Appointive Officers.

Name and Residence.	Lodge No.	Title.
Robt. E. Henry, Moline.....	485.....	Grand Chaplain
Andrew G. Anderson, Chicago.....	812.....	Grand Marshal
J. Johnson, Carthage.....	412.....	Grand Conductor
Charles Gum, Greenville.....	3.....	Grand Guardian
J. T. North, Farmer City.....	126.....	Grand Herald
H. M. Blood, G.R., 224 W. Huron St., Chicago.....	645.....	Grand Instructor
Chas. M. Hunt, 568 N. Laramie Ave., Chicago.....	11.....	Asst. Grand Instructor

Orphans' Home Directory.

Name and Residence.	Lodge No.	Term.
Dr. Arthur G. Nauman, Chicago.....	540.....	One Year
Wm. H. Pease, P.G.M., Harvey.....	80.....	Two Years
John H. Steiner, Quincy.....	12.....	Three Years
John J. Crowder, P.G.M., Peoria.....	21.....	Four Years
W. R. McGaughey, Mt. Zion.....	300.....	Five Years

Rebekah Advisory Board.

Name.	Residence.	Term.
Sadie Carson.....	Bellflower.....	One Year
Myrtle W. Tandy, P.P.....	Jacksonville.....	Two Years
Lura B. Latham, P. P.....	Uldorado.....	Three Years
Arlotta Lopp.....	Mt. Carmel.....	Four Years
Catherine Hoefer.....	Chicago.....	Five Years

Trustees Old Folks' Home.

Name and Residence.	Lodge No.	Term.
Chas. S. Harris, P.G.M., Galesburg.....	478.....	One Year
A. J. Mourer, P.G.P., Eureka.....	311.....	Two Years
John W. Yantis, P.G.M., Shelbyville.....	117.....	Three Years
Charles E. Boyer, Chicago.....	55.....	Four Years
Harry G. McCormick, Centralia.....	179.....	Five Years

Rebekah Advisory Board.

Name.	Residence.	Term.
Grace A. Henry, P.P.	Sandwich	One Year
Mae E. Crowell, P.P.	Rockford	Two Years
Lana D. Carlin, P.P.	Jerseyville	Three Years
Corn Nell Phillips, P.P.	Bushnell	Four Years
Irene Cooper, P.P.	Decatur	Five Years

Trustees of Endowment Fund.

Name and Residence.	Lodge No.	Term.
George A. Anthony, Kewanee	128	One Year
E. S. Conway, P.G.S., Oak Park	217	Two Years
F. D. P. Snelling, P.G.P., Chicago	601	Three Years

Committee on Judiciary and Appeals.

Name and Residence.	Lodge No.	Term.
W. E. P. Anderson, Carlinville	107	One Year
Warren C. Darnall, P.G.M., McLean	746	Two Years
Owen Scott, P.G.M., Decatur	186	Three Years
Alfred A. Norton, Chicago	361	Four Years
John W. Fling, Jr., Wyoming	244	Five Years

Committee on Credentials.

Name.	Residence.	Lodge No.
Thomas C. Stobbs	Harvey	50
Fred B. Rice	Blue Island	2
Clyde McAllister	Mercedosia	962

Committee on State of the Order.

Name.	Residence.	Lodge No.
D. C. Stocking, P.G.P.	Rockford	829
John J. Brown, P.G.M.	Vandalia	122
Wm. M. Groves, P.G.M.	Petersburg	123
John E. Jennings, P.G.M.	Sullivan	158
Edward H. Taylor	Chicago	717
Peter Johnson	Chicago	361
Wm. Nathan	Chicago	917
Wm. H. Ong	Pontiac	262
John T. Arnold	Loraine	641
J. A. Gliberson	Alton	421
J. Parker Smith	Chicago	240
W. N. Hill	Chicago	141
A. W. Burbank	Carbondale	233
T. J. Fitzgerald	Chicago	198
Andrew Libke	West Salem	137

Committee on Legislation.

Name.	Residence.	Lodge No.
Fred B. Merrills, P.G.M.	Belleville	650
A. Otis Arnold, P.G.M.	Quincy	12
A. L. Yantis	Shelbyville	117
J. Henry Debus	Chicago	540
O. H. Richards	Jerseyville	53
Willis Melville	Brookfield	693
Phillip Reitz	Joliet	29
G. J. Johnson	Paxton	418
S. S. Tanner	Minier	638
Fred C. Mayer	Chicago	823
A. T. Rorer	Chicago	506
Harold H. House	Nashville	37
H. E. Makutchan, P.G.P.	Princeton	428
Elmer Roberts	Ottawa	41
J. D. Phillips	Green Valley	308

Committee on Finance.

Name.	Residence.	Lodge No.
George F. Koester.....	Chicago	601
James Ewing Davis, P.G.M.....	Chicago	990
Cicero J. Lindley, P.G.M.....	Greenville	3

Committee on Rebekah Degree.

Name.	Residence.	Lodge No.
E. R. Saylor, P.G.M.....	Mattoon	6
R. B. Doan.....	Armington	152
J. M. Haynie.....	Centralla	179
A. W. Carter.....	Trenton	555
Richard L. Sidford.....	Sandwich	212
R. M. Cooper.....	Decatur	65
Robert Clark.....	Chicago	722
Hugh Calhoun.....	Galva	408
Oscar Needham.....	Mill Shoals.....	835
A. W. Croughan.....	Xenia	213

Committee on Mileage and Per Diem.

Name.	Residence.	Lodge No.
Nelson Foley.....	Chicago	8
George W. Lemmers.....	Woodstock	60
M. C. Weaver.....	Champaign	333
A. K. Doran.....	Barry	336
Rolla Jones.....	Bloomington	77
I. C. Abney.....	Creal Springs.....	504
John D. Gaylord.....	Elgin	47
Thomas McLean.....	Rock Island.....	608
Gus Arps.....	Falantine	708
E. A. Ridenour.....	Moline	133
R. L. Lacey.....	Mt. Vernon.....	13
Ed. Hackelman.....	Mattoon	260
W. S. Foreman.....	Pittsfield	95
A. F. Kile.....	Odin	866
E. J. Jones.....	Salem	114

Committee on Railroads.

Name.	Residence.	Lodge No.
A. B. Chadwick.....	Chicago	214
Frank Fucik.....	Chicago	630
Albert Myers.....	Springfield	6

Committee on Printing.

Name.	Residence.	Lodge No.
D. H. Chapman.....	Kensington	762
Chas. D. Brainard.....	Peoria	21
Ira Mullin.....	Danville	69

Special Committee on Home Libraries.

Name.	Residence.	Lodge No.
L. L. McKinley, P.G.M.....	Ottawa	41
J. P. Ellicott.....	Chicago	416
J. F. McConaughy.....	Rochelle	230

Special Committee on Dropping for Non-Payment of Dues.

Name.	Residence.	Lodge No.
David J. Dumser.....	Elgin	47
George F. Howard, P.G.M.....	Paris	664
Alex. Van Praag, P.G.M.....	Decatur	186

DEATHS

LIST OF DEATHS FROM NOVEMBER 23, 1916, TO DECEMBER 28, 1917

No.	Name.	Date.	No.	Name.	Date.
1	James Martin.....	April 29, 1917	18	J. C. Scheuerman.....	Jan. 6, 1917
1	Geo. H. Phelen.....	June 16, 1917	18	A. Mosenfelder.....	Mar. 9, 1917
2	Ed. Hauter.....	Feb. 8, 1917	18	C. B. Knox.....	May 27, 1917
2	E. Thorny.....	Sept. 24, 1917	18	H. B. Hayden.....	July 25, 1917
2	F. Wilhelm.....	Sept. 12, 1917	18	Sam Tomey.....	Jan. 27, 1917
2	F. Tesmer.....	Dec. 30, 1917	18	S. T. Long.....	Nov. 15, 1917
3	J. L. Denning.....	Mar. 10, 1917	18	Jas. Droney.....	Nov. 28, 1917
3	G. L. Loggins.....	Oct. 10, 1917	18	O. E. Sippel.....	Dec. 24, 1917
4	J. H. C. Schoettker.....	Jan. 30, 1917	19	Ruben Barnett.....	Sept. 7, 1917
4	J. H. Wells.....	Feb. 8, 1917	19	Robt. Lane.....	Oct. 21, 1917
4	L. H. Chapin.....	Mar. 3, 1917	21	Sebastian Scholl.....	Feb. 17, 1917
4	Wm. Lauenster.....	Mar. 9, 1917	21	Jno. Chrst.....	Nov. 30, 1917
4	Titus Crawshaw.....	Mar. 29, 1917	22	Jno. Weigelbaum.....	March 20, 1917
5	W. H. Roddewig.....	Feb. 8, 1917	25	G. W. C. Gates.....	May 21, 1917
5	Jno. Edwards.....	Apr. 11, 1917	27	Madison G. Nixon.....	Jan. 12, 1917
5	Geo. E. Foyt.....	June 5, 1917	27	J. W. Jackson.....	July 14, 1917
5	F. H. Turner.....	Oct. 23, 1917	29	O. Cooper.....	Mar. 29, 1917
5	W. E. Woodard.....	Oct. 27, 1917	29	G. W. McDaniels.....	June 19, 1917
5	Jno. Mahood.....	Nov. 15, 1917	29	Geo. Davis.....	June 19, 1917
5	A. M. Popp.....	Dec. 28, 1917	29	Jno. T. White.....	June 27, 1917
6	Frank A. Young.....	Jan. 21, 1917	30	Edw. Conley.....	July 4, 1917
6	Geo. H. Young.....	Jan. 21, 1917	30	Wm. Stewart.....	Oct. 15, 1917
6	Wm. Beckemeyer.....	Feb. 2, 1917	30	Jno. Moritz.....	Oct. 27, 1917
6	Herbert Hunt.....	May 20, 1917	30	W. W. Buckley.....	Dec. 21, 1917
6	Robt. Solomon.....	Aug. 22, 1917	31	Frank J. Tyler.....	Mar. 23, 1917
6	Chas. H. Freitag.....	Oct. 1, 1917	31	Thos. Inman.....	Aug. 26, 1917
6	George Lanxon.....	Oct. 23, 1917	31	R. C. Chelseth.....	Oct. 30, 1917
6	Thos. Taylor.....	Nov. 14, 1917	34	Chas. Brunner.....	May 18, 1917
6	Ben F. Conrad.....	Dec. 19, 1917	34	Louis E. Graf.....	Dec. 7, 1917
8	Chas. Olsen.....	Jan. 27, 1917	35	Jno. Sites.....	Jan. 28, 1917
8	B. C. Whitehead.....	May 19, 1917	35	Emmanuel Hines.....	July 14, 1917
8	Emil Vesley.....	Nov. 15, 1917	35	Chas. Gubelman.....	Sept. 11, 1917
8	C. H. Howard.....	Nov. 20, 1917	35	Silas W. Jones.....	Dec. 12, 1917
9	W. W. Canfield.....	Mar. 25, 1917	35	Jno. Shodt.....	Dec. 18, 1917
9	Andrew Anderson.....	June 13, 1917	37	J. K. May.....	June 20, 1917
9	Geo. F. Coates.....	May 8, 1917	37	Ferdinand Schiefe.....	Sept. 2, 1917
9	A. Dixon.....	Oct. 26, 1917	38	Fred A. King.....	Jan. 3, 1917
10	Thos. J. Gregory.....	Mar. 22, 1917	38	Daniel Lacey, Sr.....	April 19, 1917
11	F. K. Sleppy.....	Nov. 30, 1917	38	U. M. Hunpe.....	Aug. 27, 1917
13	J. B. Goodrich.....	Jan. 29, 1917	39	Jullus Meyer.....	Mar. 5, 1917
13	S. M. Hutchinsson.....	Dec. 2, 1917	39	Frank Arbogast.....	Sept. 1, 1917
14	Fred Arndt.....	Dec. 14, 1917	41	Simon C. Gelger.....	Jan. 23, 1917
15	C. A. Thomas.....	Jan. 11, 1917	41	Chas. Peppler.....	May 23, 1917
15	E. J. Cluts.....	Feb. 11, 1917	41	Geo. E. Mull.....	Dec. 30, 1917
15	D. N. Anderson.....	Feb. 17, 1917	42	W. B. Metcalfe.....	Sept. 13, 1917
15	Jas. Kapp.....	Feb. 8, 1917	43	Geo. Brewer.....	April 25, 1917
15	Geo. M. Noedoff.....	Mar. 2, 1917	44	A. K. Reed.....	June 4, 1917
15	Jno. Ryno.....	Mar. 18, 1917	45	Jno. Harthorn.....	Jan. 12, 1917
15	Geo. McLeist.....	Apr. 14, 1917	45	R. P. Kyes.....	July 17, 1917
15	Hiram Shields.....	Sept. 17, 1917	45	J. F. Butler.....	July 31, 1917
15	Geo. N. Minch.....	Oct. 28, 1917	45	Harry A. Lunn.....	Sept. 20, 1917
15	J. R. Whitmore.....	Oct. 29, 1917	46	W. H. Hall.....	Mar. 29, 1917
15	E. P. Young.....	Nov. 30, 1917	46	Jos. D. McCune.....	June 9, 1917
16	E. Benson.....	.....	46	P. S. Wiedman.....	Jan. 2, 1917
16	Jno. Lemberger.....	.....	46	J. F. Stillwell.....	Aug. 31, 1917
16	R. Alexander.....	.....	46	Henry Brinkman.....	Nov. 6, 1917
16	Jas. Hood.....	Sept. 10, 1917	47	Louis Street.....	Jan. 27, 1917
16	Hy Phillips.....	Nov. 11, 1917	47	A. M. Walter.....	Jan. 26, 1917

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47	W. H. Newton.....	Mar. 19, 1917
47	J. Powers.....	April 21, 1917
47	H. S. Chambers.....	Dec. 5, 1917
48	J. B. Saville.....	Feb. 29, 1917
48	G. M. Poebel.....	June 15, 1917
48	Fred Johannes.....	June 19, 1917
48	C. H. Halstead.....	Oct. 16, 1917
49	W. R. Moody.....	Mar. 25, 1917
50	Ed. E. Gillogby.....	Feb. 28, 1917
50	Henry Bitner.....	May 28, 1917
50	Jno. W. Campbell.....	June 21, 1917
51	Ellis Mitchell.....	April 10, 1917
51	S. H. Gostline.....	July 31, 1917
51	Harrison Smith.....	Aug. 14, 1917
52	W. J. Allen.....	Feb. 19, 1917
53	Robt. C. Gledhill.....	Jan. 20, 1917
54	Dr. Jacob Butter.....	Mar. 19, 1917
55	E. Abrahamson.....	Mar. 28, 1917
57	Ed. Wilson.....	April 1, 1917
57	A. G. Gordan.....	Dec. 20, 1917
58	Albert Arnstein.....	May 8, 1917
58	Wm. Schroeder.....	Aug. 24, 1917
60	Alvin M. Heywood.....	Mar. 31, 1917
60	Frank A. Daniels.....	Oct. 10, 1917
60	Wm. J. H. Brunn.....	Oct. 24, 1917
62	F. H. Spang.....	Jan. 29, 1917
63	H. C. Burkhart.....	Mar. 26, 1917
63	J. A. Harrison.....	June 10, 1917
64	Wm. T. Martin.....	Jan. 15, 1917
64	Chas. E. Taylor.....	Mar. 1, 1917
64	Jno. M. Archer.....	Mar. 24, 1917
64	Benson Martin.....	April 25, 1917
64	Wm. T. Besser.....	Aug. 30, 1917
64	Wm. T. Craig.....	Dec. 30, 1917
65	J. H. Bauer.....	Jan. 4, 1917
65	I. Andrews.....	May 20, 1917
65	Wm. Brown.....	June 17, 1917
65	Thos. Hoots.....	Aug. 1, 1917
65	Grover E. Moore.....	Nov. 29, 1917
67	B. Sadler.....	July 21, 1917
68	Jno. Kreher.....	Mar. 24, 1917
69	Frank T. Morris.....	June 18, 1917
69	Fred Dickson.....	Sept. 20, 1917
69	D. M. Replogle.....	Sept. 27, 1917
69	E. S. Meeker.....	Dec. 6, 1917
70	Robt. Richardson.....	June 26, 1917
71	Fred Vornkahl.....	Mar. 29, 1917
74	Joseph Verzette.....	July 1, 1917
75	M. F. James.....	Mar. 6, 1917
75	R. R. Midgett.....	Mar. 17, 1917
75	Thos. Woodfine.....	June 30, 1917
75	Ell Button.....	Aug. 17, 1917
75	Wm. Baird.....	Aug. 27, 1917
77	Frank Morrison.....	Jan. 14, 1917
77	Geo. Gregg.....	Feb. 4, 1917
77	Chas. Stroyer.....	April 6, 1917
77	Robt. Peyton.....	June 4, 1917
77	J. H. Burnham.....	Jan. 20, 1917
77	F. F. Krull.....	Feb. 7, 1917
77	Joseph Ator.....	Aug. 4, 1917
77	J. B. Warlow.....	Oct. 12, 1917
77	J. C. Means.....	Oct. 27, 1917
77	Henry Eberle.....	Dec. 11, 1917
77	Louis Mueller.....	Dec. 29, 1917
79	C. E. Harn.....	Sept. 14, 1917
82	Thos. Hatfield.....	Jan. 14, 1917
82	Robt. Duggins.....	Jan. 14, 1917
84	Jno. H. Adams.....	July 27, 1917

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85	Edw. W. Paxton.....	Sept. 12, 1917
87	Henry Johannigmeier.....	April 21, 1917
89	Frank Palge.....	Jan. 16, 1917
90	Frank White.....	July 13, 1917
90	W. M. Sublett.....	Sept. 17, 1917
90	Fred Frommel.....	Sept. 21, 1917
91	Ed. Ketner.....	Jan. 11, 1917
91	F. G. Hanks.....	Jan. 18, 1917
91	R. L. McKinley.....	Jan. 23, 1917
91	David S. Perkins.....	Nov. 11, 1917
92	J. F. Null.....	Mar. 12, 1917
93	Jaboz Mitchell.....	Dec. 18, 1917
94	Stephen Pankhurst.....	Aug. 11, 1917
95	Geo. Howland.....	Jan. 1, 1917
97	D. F. Taylor.....	April 17, 1917
98	J. C. Myers.....	Sept. 15, 1917
99	Wm. Robinson.....	June 8, 1917
100	Ira Cutforth.....	Nov. 1, 1917
101	Richard J. Trencherry.....	Jan. 1, 1917
101	Joseph Gneuer.....	Jan. 4, 1917
102	J. R. Warbel.....	Jan. 21, 1917
102	L. L. Huxtable.....	Aug. 15, 1917
102	Edwin Manwaren.....	Aug. 16, 1917
104	L. C. Baker.....	Sept. 1, 1917
106	W. W. Stephens.....	Sept. 7, 1917
108	E. G. Cook.....	Feb. 16, 1917
108	Thos. Sidell.....	Feb. 16, 1917
108	Jno. Rettinger.....	Nov. 10, 1917
109	Aug. Roeschman.....	Mar. 24, 1917
109	Geo. W. Tegg.....	April 28, 1917
109	Jno. Brodbeck.....	Nov. 6, 1917
109	Jas. Moss.....	Sept. 23, 1917
111	S. O. Lynch.....	July 13, 1917
111	J. P. Butz.....	Dec. 30, 1917
112	M. A. Mahan.....	May 26, 1917
114	Jno. Merz.....	Feb. 16, 1917
114	Jas. B. McMeekin.....	Sept. 25, 1917
114	D. D. Haynie.....	Nov. 21, 1917
115	W. E. Wright.....	Jan. 28, 1917
115	W. F. Earhart.....	Nov. 9, 1917
116	J. P. Ewart.....	Mar. 28, 1917
119	N. A. Harralson.....	June 27, 1917
119	H. J. Black.....	Nov. 6, 1917
119	J. S. Gedney.....	Nov. 20, 1917
119	Adolphus North.....	Nov. 25, 1917
120	H. G. Herder.....	May 27, 1917
120	T. M. Williamson.....	Dec. 27, 1917
121	Jno. R. Bonds.....	Mar. 8, 1917
121	Chas. R. Maurer.....	Mar. 11, 1917
121	W. A. Smith.....	Aug. 4, 1917
122	Henry A. Stone.....	April 9, 1917
122	C. T. Johnson.....	Sept. 6, 1917
123	S. E. Nance.....	April 26, 1917
124	Wm. Hall.....	Feb. 7, 1917
124	Gen. Cary.....	Oct. 19, 1917
124	Wm. Sittler.....	Oct. 28, 1917
124	J. B. Norviel.....	Nov. 5, 1917
126	Jacob Bach.....	Jan. 5, 1917
126	Jas. Cook.....	April 22, 1917
126	Jack Vance.....	Dec. 23, 1917
127	Wm. Kuntz.....	Feb. 6, 1917
128	Robt. Barker.....	Jan. 1, 1917
128	A. F. Bigelow.....	Feb. 3, 1917
130	P. C. Knepper.....	Mar. 12, 1917
131	P. C. Baldwin.....	Mar. 26, 1917
131	H. A. Withers.....	June 13, 1917
132	Henry Reeder.....	Feb. 18, 1917
132	N. Henry.....	June 14, 1917

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132	R. W. Watson.....	Nov. 22, 1917	180	David Horner.....	Oct. 14, 1917
133	Levi Crolle.....	April 5, 1917	180	H. C. Walters.....	Dec. 11, 1917
133	Harry Winduct.....	April 12, 1917	182	Jno. H. Glascock.....	June 25, 1917
133	J. W. Bergen.....	May 8, 1917	184	Chas. W. Parker.....	Aug. 19, 1917
133	Bert Crowder.....	July 9, 1917	186	S. A. Weaver.....	Feb. 10, 1917
133	I. I. Stanley.....	Oct. 12, 1917	186	W. L. Smlth.....	April 11, 1917
133	Edw. Ulm.....	Nov. 18, 1917	186	Henry Bachrach.....	July 22, 1917
133	Aostic C. Starofsky.....	Nov. 23, 1917	188	Jno. Pratt.....	Sept. 9, 1917
134	W. J. Derfln.....	Aug. 18, 1917	190	Frank Jenskey.....	Mar. 14, 1917
137	Jno. Mercer.....	Dec. 22, 1917	190	J. C. Blayney.....	Mar. 4, 1917
139	D. H. Goodspeed.....	Feb. 1, 1917	192	Geo. W. Drach.....	May 6, 1917
139	I. M. Spurgeon.....	April 20, 1917	192	A. Rathgeber.....	Oct. 28, 1917
139	Geo. Byerly.....	Dec. 5, 1917	192	A. L. Dix.....	Nov. 15, 1917
140	Jno. Meyers.....	Aug. 11, 1917	193	J. M. Akin.....	Feb. 25, 1917
140	A. Renard.....	Aug. 13, 1917	193	J. O. Anderson.....	Sept. 26, 1917
140	Chas. A. Honning.....	Sept. 20, 1917	195	Jno. S. Hankins.....	June 16, 1917
140	A. F. Singleton.....	Sept. 29, 1917	196	Jno. W. Fisher.....	April 11, 1917
141	Dr. H. H. Jackson.....	April 8, 1917	196	Jno. W. Gullett.....	July 31, 1917
141	Jno. R. Sidenbecker.....	June 28, 1917	197	Geo. W. Franks.....	Jan. 18, 1917
141	Jno. S. Henderson.....	July 16, 1917	197	Garner Sweet.....	Feb. 18, 1917
141	Edmund J. Lalreau.....	Aug. 23, 1917	197	W. T. Smith.....	Nov. 29, 1917
141	A. W. White.....	Oct. 22, 1917	197	H. M. Judson.....	Dec. 18, 1917
141	Chas. H. Collis.....	Aug. 30, 1917	198	D. J. Marshall.....	Mar. 9, 1917
142	J. H. Smith.....	Feb. 12, 1917	198	Sam'l. Johnson.....	July 26, 1917
142	B. F. Shodley.....	April 9, 1917	198	Jno. P. Rels.....	Sept. 30, 1917
142	T. B. Walsh.....	June 3, 1917	199	Frank H. Streed.....	May 13, 1917
142	E. J. Douglas.....	July 8, 1917	199	S. E. Burns.....	Aug. 25, 1917
145	Jas. Barclay.....	May 18, 1917	200	Alex Oleson.....	Mar. 23, 1917
145	Jas. Waller.....	Aug. 10, 1917	201	A. A. Tice.....	July 8, 1917
147	Irving Halsted.....	Feb. 26, 1917	202	Thos. Smutny.....	April 17, 1917
147	Howard Morris.....	Feb. 26, 1917	202	Edw. Smdint.....	Oct. 8, 1917
147	D. B. Paul.....	Feb. 26, 1917	202	Jos. Moutrie.....	Nov. 1917
149	Wm. Turner.....	June 10, 1917	204	E. E. Eikes.....	Feb. 21, 1917
149	Jno. Riebe.....	July 27, 1917	204	S. O. Price.....	April 20, 1917
149	W. M. Owen.....	Oct. 16, 1917	204	C. Sprinkle.....	April 25, 1917
152	S. B. Hamlin.....	Feb. 8, 1917	204	Ernst Stolz.....	Aug. 15, 1917
154	Roy E. Lamay.....	Dec. 15, 1917	204	Rev. W. N. Tole.....	Dec. 9, 1917
155	Jno. Buckingham.....	Aug. 21, 1917	206	E. M. Wilson.....	April 19, 1917
155	Martin Lindaas.....	Nov. 17, 1917	206	Elmer Barnard.....	July 31, 1917
158	Ed. C. Dunkin.....	April 17, 1917	206	Bert Thompson Veatch.....	July 17, 1917
158	J. R. Ferguson.....	May 17, 1917	210	W. C. Porter.....	Jan. 3, 1917
158	Chas. Beltz.....	May 22, 1917	210	Claude Martin.....	May 15, 1917
158	F. M. Waggoner.....	Nov. 5, 1917	213	Gldeon M. Bosley.....	July 25, 1917
159	Louis Welshan.....	.....	214	S. H. Sloan.....	April 12, 1917
160	Jacob Noylor.....	July 8, 1917	214	T. B. Winterson.....	May 30, 1917
161	Jno. H. Isley.....	Jan. 9, 1917	214	A. J. Rikerd.....	Aug. 2, 1917
161	Norman C. Johnson.....	Aug. 31, 1917	214	M. C. Eames.....	Oct. 6, 1917
161	Thos. H. Marshall.....	Dec. 14, 1917	214	Jos. Colbourne.....	Oct. 31, 1917
164	Edw. Newman.....	Mar. 21, 1917	215	Jas. E. McCarty.....	Jan. 28, 1917
164	A. J. Gray.....	Oct. 16, 1917	215	Barzillia Earcl.....	April 13, 1917
166	Rob. Jardine.....	Jan. 2, 1917	218	F. P. Bowman.....	Feb. 27, 1917
166	Aug. Kessberger.....	Feb. 3, 1917	218	C. Rupp.....	May 27, 1917
166	Gottlieb Schlenle.....	Feb. 6, 1917	218	F. McLaughlin.....	July 25, 1917
166	Jno. Heilmlich.....	Mar. 15, 1917	219	Lewis Moyer.....	May 17, 1917
166	Robt. Waddie.....	May 7, 1917	221	Martin Tolz.....	Feb. 7, 1917
167	Scott Poffenbarger.....	Feb. 1917	221	Martin Winsauer.....	Aug. 3, 1917
167	Alvin E. Brayton.....	Dec. 1917	221	Gustav Schmidt.....	Nov. 4, 1917
174	C. J. Woolsey.....	April 24, 1917	221	Christian Noehre.....	Nov. 11, 1917
174	Walter P. Dyson.....	May 1, 1917	221	Jno. Schefesik.....	Nov. 21, 1917
174	Herman Sheets.....	June 23, 1917	224	Joseph Hoekenedel.....	Oct. 8, 1917
174	H. S. Street.....	Dec. 24, 1917	224	A. H. Hally.....	Aug. 28, 1917
174	Iolte Estabrook.....	July 14, 1917	224	Frank Hagey.....	Aug. 3, 1917
174	Iessie Van Bebbier.....	Nov. 25, 1917	225	Warner Park.....	Jan. 17, 1917
179	C. F. Prickett.....	Jan. 5, 1917	225	Scott Swank.....	Feb. 13, 1917
179	Redfern Hammond.....	Oct. 25, 1917	225	Geo. E. Craw.....	Feb. 23, 1917
179	A. Amos.....	Nov. 19, 1917	226	J. B. Hettick.....	Dec. 5, 1917
179	Jno. Mooney.....	Dec. 18, 1917	230	W. H. Williams.....	June 6, 1917
180	L. E. Bailey.....	Jan. 3, 1917	230	A. K. Cole.....	July 17, 1917

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230	Geo. E. Bushnell.....	July 12, 1917	267	J. L. Reed.....	Feb. 14, 1917
231	Jos. Dvorak.....	Jan. 17, 1917	269	Geo. Horn.....	Nov. 18, 1917
231	Frank Shults.....	Jan. 22, 1917	270	Geo. White.....	Mar. 16, 1917
231	Jos. Srachta.....	Jan. 31, 1917	271	Wm. F. Luebhe.....	May 21, 1917
231	Edward Skala.....	Feb. 25, 1917	271	Jno. A. Willis.....	Sept. 15, 1917
231	Anton Kolman.....	Mar. 21, 1917	271	Gustav Saffron.....	Nov. 3, 1917
231	Theo. Valla.....	May 20, 1917	274	J. A. Mason.....	June 1, 1917
231	Jno. Jaros.....	June 10, 1917	276	T. O. Holcomb.....	Aug. 7, 1917
231	Frank Kozeny.....	Aug. 15, 1917	277	Albert Todd.....	Sept. 13, 1917
231	Leopold Cadil.....	Nov. 25, 1917	277	Wm. Callender.....	Oct. 5, 1917
232	C. W. Melvin.....	Dec. 31, 1917	279	Tremain Blakslee.....	June 20, 1917
233	Jno. T. Galbraith.....	April 25, 1917	279	W. H. R. Morris.....	Oct. 8, 1917
238	C. Peterson.....	Sept. 19, 1917	281	Jens M. Pedersen.....	Jan. 10, 1917
239	Jos. Deke.....	Jan. 5, 1917	281	Jno. Peterson.....	Jan. 27, 1917
239	Geo. L. Frazier.....	Jan. 22, 1917	281	Jno. A. Cone.....	Feb. 24, 1917
239	Henry Keller.....	Mar. 11, 1917	281	Hushel A. Wallace.....	Mar. 13, 1917
239	Geo. Foos.....	Mar. 14, 1917	281	Mels C. Lind.....	April 4, 1917
239	Fred Burkhardt.....	April 20, 1917	281	Christian Andersen.....	June 20, 1917
239	B. B. Keith.....	Oct. 18, 1917	281	Walter Rattey.....	July 25, 1917
239	Wm. Cornish.....	Oct. 25, 1917	281	Andrew N. Engle.....	Nov. 20, 1917
240	Jno. Wallace Caldwell.....	Feb. 2, 1917	284	Chas. E. Thomas.....	Sept. 8, 1917
240	Wm. T. Dillon.....	Feb. 24, 1917	286	Aug. Hamann.....	Jan. 18, 1917
240	Hiram A. Sherman.....	Mar. 7, 1917	286	Thos. Wright.....	June 10, 1917
240	Clark E. Galligan.....	April 27, 1917	286	Rudolph Richter.....	Sept. 4, 1917
240	N. H. Dodson.....	June 29, 1917	288	Ed. H. Johnston.....	June 13, 1917
240	J. W. Betts.....	July 24, 1917	288	Knud Neidsen.....	Feb. 22, 1917
240	C. R. Rankin.....	Sept. 6, 1917	288	Herbert Ripley.....	July 9, 1917
240	David White.....	Nov. 7, 1917	288	Nelson Sandberg.....	July 27, 1917
240	A. I. VanDuser.....	Nov. 24, 1917	288	Jean B. Roberts.....	Oct. 21, 1917
242	E. R. Jones.....	April 14, 1917	288	Chas. E. Cozart.....	Dec. 22, 1917
243	J. F. Nagle.....	Jan. 19, 1917	291	Jno. Oliver.....	Dec. 31, 1917
243	Sam'l. W. Jackson.....	Jan. 20, 1917	293	Wm. Hicks.....	Feb. 18, 1917
243	S. C. Follansbee.....	Feb. 3, 1917	294	D. J. Tillman.....	July 17, 1917
243	David Hamilton.....	Mar. 1, 1917	296	R. C. Breneisa.....	June 1, 1917
243	Pierson Howell.....	Nov. 12, 1917	296	W. S. Keyes.....	May 29, 1917
243	Phillip Hackman.....	Dec. 22, 1917	297	Wm. Houpt.....	May 11, 1917
246	Herman Leeck.....	July 31, 1917	297	Harry Burrell.....	July 29, 1917
249	Edw. Piper.....	Oct. 11, 1917	299	J. F. Pratt.....	May 3, 1917
253	Nathan Reeves.....	Jan. 4, 1917	299	C. L. McKay.....	July 29, 1917
253	Jno. Haines.....	Jan. 19, 1917	299	J. W. Hallenbeck.....	Oct. 3, 1917
254	L. H. Rahe.....	July 8, 1917	299	Geo. Bush.....	Dec. 13, 1917
254	W. A. Martinie.....	Nov. 7, 1917	300	Wm. Fletcher.....	June 14, 1917
255	D. H. Thorp.....	Nov. 30, 1917	302	W. R. Key.....	Nov. 23, 1916
256	Gilbert Simkins.....	Sept. 9, 1917	302	Wm. Clark.....	Mar. 19, 1917
257	H. A. Boyd.....	May 5, 1917	311	A. J. Ricketts.....	Jan. 27, 1917
257	Jno. Matson.....	Sept. 16, 1917	312	C. P. Hamilton.....	Dec. 5, 1917
258	Joseph Meler.....	May 30, 1917	313	J. E. Rose.....	Feb. 10, 1917
259	Jas. G. Barnes.....	June 30, 1917	313	E. W. Thompson.....	Feb. 17, 1917
260	Jno. Wilson.....	Oct. 14, 1917	313	Chas. Wilson.....	Sept. 24, 1917
260	Lewis Guyett.....	Oct. 22, 1917	314	R. M. Gould.....	Jan. 16, 1917
260	J. F. Chase.....	Nov. 18, 1917	314	H. S. Liming.....	Sept. 14, 1917
260	W. H. Johnson.....	Aug. 20, 1917	315	J. M. Sullivan.....	Nov. 11, 1917
261	Otto D. Hanson.....	Jan. 7, 1917	315	M. M. Sims.....	Oct. 16, 1917
261	Ferdinand Cirar.....	April 22, 1917	316	Frank Goodson.....	April 13, 1917
261	Christopher Dahl.....	April 24, 1917	316	B. F. Formash.....	April 3, 1917
261	Emil F. Simons.....	May 17, 1917	316	C. A. Riner.....	April 18, 1917
261	E. B. Ljungdahl.....	July 9, 1917	316	J. C. Bachert.....	June 17, 1917
261	Edw. L. Stahl.....	Nov. 12, 1917	316	W. F. Crawley.....	Aug. 18, 1917
261	W. H. Davis.....	Nov. 23, 1917	319	Jno. Spencer.....	Jan. 27, 1917
261	Richard Schultze.....	Dec. 20, 1917	319	Jas. Matthews.....	Mar. 28, 1917
262	W. A. Worth.....	Mar. 26, 1917	319	Ed. Edwards.....	Feb. 24, 1917
262	W. M. Stroud.....	July 22, 1917	319	Alex Felcher.....	May 9, 1917
262	E. E. Smith.....	July 27, 1917	319	Andrew Barker.....	Sept. 2, 1917
262	Geo. Dann.....	July 29, 1917	320	Frank Z. Schlich.....	April 24, 1917
262	Wm. H. Jenkins.....	Oct. 12, 1917	320	L. Jacobsen.....	Oct. 28, 1917
262	Chas. J. Haney.....	Oct. 22, 1917	322	F. S. Rogers.....	Aug. 7, 1917
263	Chas. F. Fowler.....	July 5, 1917	322	W. E. Streeter.....	Dec. 1, 1917
263	S. D. White.....	Nov. 18, 1917	324	J. R. Nichols.....	Mar. 1, 1917

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328	I. W. Clark.....	June 3, 1917	375	L. F. Reynolds.....	Dec. 22, 1917
329	C. Robinson.....	April 24, 1917	377	Chas. S. Fuller.....	Dec. 11, 1917
329	Montz Kasch.....	July 17, 1917	378	Wm. Steele.....	Dec. 10, 1917
329	Carl Koch.....	Aug. 30, 1917	379	J. V. McDowell.....	Feb. 28, 1917
329	Ernest Geewe.....	Nov. 30, 1917	380	Jas. Mussofli.....	Dec. 10, 1917
329	Jacob Degen.....	Dec. 1, 1917	381	V. E. Bailey.....	April 4, 1917
329	Henry Roth.....	Dec. 12, 1917	383	Gust E. Enstrom.....	Feb. 18, 1917
330	Jno. T. Mill.....	Dec. 26, 1917	384	Jabez Coggan.....	Nov. 27, 1917
331	Wm. E. Hemmett.....	Mar. 21, 1917	384	H. N. Wiltsey.....	Sept. 6, 1917
331	Chas. E. Greene.....	May 1, 1917	389	Henry Smith.....	Aug. 6, 1917
331	Jno. H. Dunning.....	May 18, 1917	389	Jno. L. Schmitt.....	Oct. 14, 1917
333	J. D. Cavanaugh.....	Feb. 13, 1917	391	Ed. Benney.....	Jan. 6, 1917
333	W. H. Miller.....	Mar. 22, 1917	391	A. J. Schnelder.....	Mar. 7, 1917
333	Joseph Plotner.....	Mar. 23, 1917	391	Thos. Boyd.....	April 23, 1917
333	W. H. Munhall.....	Mar. 23, 1917	391	Irvin Sopher.....	May 4, 1917
333	S. T. Vandever.....	June 23, 1917	391	Wm. G. Francis.....	Oct. 7, 1917
333	Frank Miller.....	Sept. 14, 1917	391	Wm. H. Davis.....	Oct. 14, 1917
334	Fred Buck.....	Mar. 7, 1917	392	Jno. Clarida.....	Nov. 9, 1917
336	A. L. James.....	April 12, 1917	395	Jno. A. Taylor.....	Aug. 8, 1917
336	J. G. McKinney.....	Dec. 2, 1917	395	Louis Muench.....	Aug. 12, 1917
337	Frank A. Hill.....	May 1, 1917	395	E. C. Bodley.....	Oct. 26, 1917
337	Chas. Walter.....	April 6, 1917	396	J. L. Durham.....	Mar. 3, 1917
337	C. W. Wilson.....	Oct. 10, 1917	396	J. W. Maulton.....	Mar. 9, 1917
338	Fred Obst.....	Mar. 17, 1917	396	B. Rush.....	April 30, 1917
338	Philip Kaufman.....	June 10, 1917	397	F. M. Smith.....	Oct. 30, 1917
340	Wallace Hugh.....	Mar. 14, 1917	398	Gustof Dickman.....	Dec. 29, 1917
342	Harold Varner.....	Dec. 9, 1917	400	W. F. Lenning.....	Jan. 28, 1917
343	S. O. Boyd.....	Oct. 20, 1917	400	Jas. S. Drust.....	Feb. 25, 1917
344	Sid Grant.....	Aug. 6, 1917	400	E. A. Kent.....	May 19, 1917
344	Wm. Combs.....	Sept. 4, 1917	401	H. H. Zeigler.....	Mar. 10, 1917
344	J. A. Marion.....	Oct. 11, 1917	401	Jno. T. Mickey.....	Nov. 19, 1917
346	Milton Billings.....	April 5, 1917	402	D. Borhall.....	Feb. 13, 1917
346	Frank H. Philport.....	April 3, 1917	403	C. H. Ryder.....	Sept. 25, 1917
347	B. R. Crockett.....	May 1, 1917	407	A. Stoll.....	Jan. 17, 1917
347	Roscoe Nichols.....	Oct. 1917	407	J. Schroeder.....	Jan. 19, 1917
347	J. C. Neal.....	Nov. 15, 1917	407	Joe Gebele.....	Feb. 13, 1917
348	E. E. McFarland.....	April 4, 1917	407	H. Ehler.....	June 8, 1917
349	Troft Lucas.....	July 20, 1917	407	Theo. Langfeldt.....	June 16, 1917
349	Frank Coughenom.....	July 27, 1917	407	J. Arnold.....	Sept. 13, 1917
350	Harry R. Smith.....	May 1, 1917	408	W. J. Cummins.....	May 23, 1917
353	John Welcher.....	Feb. 11, 1917	411	Ernst Degenhardt.....	Sept. 20, 1917
353	Otto Schiek.....	Sept. 15, 1917	412	Geo. E. Aleshire.....	Feb. 24, 1917
353	Emil Klotz.....	Sept. 16, 1917	412	Chas. A. James.....	Dec. 21, 1917
353	Max Lott.....	Sept. 19, 1917	413	T. H. Johnson.....	Dec. 30, 1917
355	U. W. Easton.....	Nov. 29, 1917	413	Otis Noblett.....	Jan. 6, 1917
357	Albert Swink.....	Feb. 13, 1917	413	W. E. Handel.....	Feb. 20, 1917
361	Wm. Erikson.....	Mar. 23, 1917	413	J. S. Oates.....	Jan. 15, 1917
361	A. Hjelm.....	April 15, 1917	413	E. H. Greenwalt.....	Aug. 24, 1917
361	C. J. Sandberg.....	May 1, 1917	416	J. B. Motter.....	Mar. 22, 1917
361	J. A. Hesselbom.....	Oct. 5, 1917	416	Harry Rasmussen.....	June 6, 1917
362	Ed. Barth.....	April 18, 1917	416	Geo. F. Lang.....	Dec. 9, 1917
362	J. M. Wilson.....	June 23, 1917	416	J. P. Rasmussen.....	Dec. 22, 1917
362	A. G. Matson.....	Oct. 25, 1917	417	Ed. Lipe.....	June 20, 1917
364	Morris F. Cole.....	April 7, 1917	417	Walter Casey.....	Aug. 25, 1917
369	Thos. Smith.....	June 28, 1917	426	J. E. Evans.....	Mar. 21, 1917
370	Chas. M. Thurman.....	Nov. 8, 1917	426	Jacob Edwards.....	May 18, 1917
371	Peter Daugherty.....	July 31, 1917	429	Frederick Simon.....	Sept. 13, 1917
374	Wm. Denny.....	Feb. 5, 1917	430	T. R. Jeffery.....	May 27, 1917
374	E. F. Singleton.....	Mar. 8, 1917	430	T. N. Yates.....	June 3, 1917
374	Jacob McCord.....	April 4, 1917	432	Jno. Happell.....	June 16, 1917
374	Reuben Kammler.....	.....	432	Fred Branch.....	July 15, 1917
374	N. L. Wilkens.....	May 1, 1917	434	C. W. McGehee.....	June 16, 1917
374	L. F. Matson.....	May 21, 1917	435	Jas. H. Brown.....	Jan. 14, 1917
374	Andrew Anderson.....	Aug. 16, 1917	435	E. A. Thomas.....	Jan. 30, 1917
374	Chas. Olliver.....	Oct. 6, 1917	435	M. M. Radel.....	July 22, 1917
374	Sam'l H. Coppedgr.....	July 2, 1917	435	C. M. Williamson.....	Oct. 6, 1917
375	J. E. Jacobs.....	July 14, 1917	435	W. S. McCormack.....	Nov. 25, 1917
375	H. W. Smith.....	Nov. 18, 1917	436	Jas. H. Young.....	May 12, 1917

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440	Wm. K. Thomas.....	Sept. 5, 1917	501	A. L. Lamb.....	Sept. 12, 1917
441	Elisha Sanders.....	May 16, 1917	502	Albert Riggs.....	Jan. 5, 1917
442	Aug. Rehmeyer.....	Mar. 12, 1917	503	J. D. Hendricksen.....	June 1, 1917
444	T. J. Selby.....	Mar. 10, 1917	506	Red Krey.....	Feb. 3, 1917
445	Jas. Marsh.....	Sept. 14, 1917	506	Gerhard Schellstead.....	Feb. 19, 1917
445	W. H. Hulett.....	Nov. 14, 1917	506	Philip Schuchmann.....	April 24, 1917
446	Chas. A. Nelson.....	Jan. 12, 1917	506	Wm. Hoefler.....	Mar. 16, 1917
446	Otto W. Nelson.....	Jan. 19, 1917	506	Gustaf Sottorf.....	June 16, 1917
446	Oscar E. Larson.....	April 4, 1917	506	Aug. Ehler.....	Oct. 14, 1917
446	W. A. Thourcen.....	Oct. 25, 1917	506	H. B. Hoch.....	Dec. 14, 1917
449	Joseph Gilmore.....	Mar. 7, 1917	509	W. F. Zimmerman.....	May 5, 1917
449	Jno. Watson.....	Nov. 27, 1917	510	Wm. Hough.....	Feb. 19, 1917
453	Owen Waggoner.....	May 26, 1917	510	J. H. Terhune.....	Aug. 9, 1917
457	F. B. Lamb.....	Jan. 1, 1917	510	G. C. Runyan.....	Oct. 30, 1917
458	A. T. Byrns.....	Nov. 22, 1917	511	W. A. Mills.....	Aug. 27, 1917
459	Frank McKinnis.....	July 10, 1917	512	Robt. Fleming.....	Jan. 30, 1917
459	Oscar White.....	Sept. 20, 1917	512	Geo. Parr.....	July 8, 1917
462	Henry Grafford.....	May 25, 1917	512	Fred Fone.....	Sept. 7, 1917
464	Jerry Clay.....	Nov. 2, 1917	513	Jno. A. Pettett.....	June 19, 1917
465	Geo. J. Bellersheim.....	Jan. 8, 1917	517	Adam Cook.....	April 24, 1917
465	W. W. Simmerman.....	Jan. 20, 1917	517	Henry Fuer.....	Jan. 25, 1917
465	W. A. Northcott.....	Jan. 25, 1917	517	Frank L. Merriam.....	July 26, 1917
465	David DeVares.....	April 4, 1917	518	W. H. Keer.....	Aug. 25, 1917
466	J. E. Sherfey.....	Dec. 27, 1917	519	Thos. Bertoth.....	Dec. 5, 1916
467	Fred Bischoff.....	May 10, 1917	519	Peter Trogia.....	June 8, 1917
467	Henry Brownbacher.....	June 28, 1917	519	Barney Getts.....	Oct. 17, 1917
467	F. A. Rettig.....	July 21, 1917	521	Wm. Fielding.....	Jan. 30, 1917
467	Carl Schmidt.....	Oct. 25, 1917	521	Wm. Rosenthal.....	Feb. 28, 1917
467	Wm. Leipholz.....	Nov. 10, 1917	521	I. Isaacs.....	April 17, 1917
467	Jno. Schnoter.....	Dec. 9, 1917	521	I. Felsenthal.....	June 21, 1917
469	D. O. Root.....	Feb. 17, 1917	523	James Ford.....	Sept. 27, 1917
469	Oliver Bell.....	Feb. 27, 1917	524	J. B. Martin.....	Aug. 2, 1917
473	Guy L. Walton.....	Sept. 28, 1917	526	Jno. Dolzell.....	Mar. 15, 1917
475	Ralph Edwards.....	Oct. 13, 1917	526	J. W. Brown.....	Nov. 13, 1917
477	Wm. Fleck.....	Feb. 6, 1917	528	Jno. H. Jones.....	Dec. 1, 1917
477	Ch. Spangenberg.....	Aug. 30, 1917	529	T. A. Demney.....	Dec. 15, 1917
477	Ch. Zteich.....	Oct. 18, 1917	532	Isaac Edwards.....	June 5, 1917
478	J. H. Duncan.....	May 3, 1917	532	P. A. Johnson.....	Oct. 14, 1917
479	Oscar Peterson.....	June 9, 1917	537	Eli Dixon.....	Oct. 31, 1917
479	J. O. Hoglund.....	Dec. 7, 1917	537	Chas. W. Gorham.....	Mar. 30, 1917
480	Geo. Grondenberg.....	Feb. 15, 1917	537	H. R. Olson.....	April 25, 1917
480	Sam T. Moore.....	July 4, 1917	538	Joe Buckingham.....	July 9, 1917
480	J. H. Taylor.....	Dec. 13, 1917	538	J. C. Byerly.....	July 24, 1917
480	C. DeArnold.....	Dec. 25, 1917	539	Peter Miller.....	July 4, 1917
482	H. M. Sanderson.....	Nov. 15, 1917	539	Chas. Goldenshue.....	July 27, 1917
482	Geo. O. Palmer.....	Sept. 30, 1917	540	E. J. Naumans.....	April 6, 1917
483	C. C. Tory.....	May 6, 1917	540	H. A. G. Stender.....	Dec. 16, 1917
483	J. F. Leggett.....	Sept. 17, 1917	541	Anthony W. Mark.....	Nov. 30, 1917
484	Sam Kominsky.....	June 5, 1917	542	Frank T. Allen.....	Feb. 25, 1917
484	Jno. Ostertag.....	Aug. 3, 1917	542	W. S. Lamb.....	Feb. 26, 1917
485	W. S. Giles.....	April 3, 1917	544	J. E. Williams.....	April 1, 1917
485	L. H. Rasmussen.....	May 10, 1917	544	J. P. Carlson.....	April 26, 1917
485	E. M. Bloomquist.....	Oct. 6, 1917	544	R. F. Weigand.....	April 14, 1917
486	Jno. P. Stelle.....	Dec. 10, 1917	544	Jno. Cook.....	May 27, 1917
487	W. T. White.....	May 7, 1917	550	Luther Willis.....	Jan. 4, 1917
487	M. V. Morgan.....	July 3, 1917	555	Fred Stahl.....	Jan. 6, 1917
487	Chas. Hoover.....	July 3, 1917	555	Mat Fluck.....	May 1, 1917
488	Moses Silverman.....	May 21, 1917	557	Jas. McBride.....	Jan. 6, 1917
488	Harry Graff.....	June 19, 1917	561	Paul Zempich.....	Feb. 26, 1917
488	A. Stern.....	Sept. 2, 1917	561	Adolph Nagel.....	May 28, 1917
489	Wm. Hobick.....	Aug. 30, 1917	561	Max Lang.....	Aug. 25, 1917
491	A. M. Hurin.....	July 10, 1917	562	Emanuel A. F. Madsen.....	April 2, 1917
493	H. L. Lantz.....	Jan. 14, 1917	563	S. J. McFarland.....	Feb. 4, 1917
493	B. F. Johnson.....	Oct. 30, 1917	564	J. C. Gohan.....	Jan. 9, 1917
495	F. E. Floyd.....	Feb. 7, 1917	564	C. C. Mouton.....	Feb. 17, 1917
496	Harry Odle.....	June 15, 1917	565	J. B. Westbery.....	Mar. 31, 1917
498	Chas. Morresson.....	Oct. 3, 1917	566	Samuel Lap.....	April 1, 1917
499	Chas. Oesterle.....	Feb. 12, 1917	566	R. J. Dury.....	May 4, 1917

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568	W. P. Mann.....	June 5, 1917	633	J. C. Glover.....	April 13, 1917
571	L. M. Cox.....	Jan. 17, 1917	634	W. M. Smith.....	Mar. 18, 1917
573	Jno. A. Leonard.....	Dec. 8, 1917	634	A. B. Bryant.....	June 12, 1917
576	Jas. W. Miller.....	May 26, 1917	635	Arthur Ross.....	May 29, 1917
576	U. A. Noble.....	Sept. 16, 1917	635	Ralph Watson.....	Nov. 21, 1917
578	Wm. Baker.....	June 19, 1917	636	D. A. Bowman.....	Feb. 23, 1917
579	L. Latten.....	.....	636	Henry Williams.....	Mar. 15, 1917
579	Adam Hinkins.....	.....	637	Geo. W. Huggins.....	Aug. 3, 1917
582	L. Pears.....	April 14, 1917	638	Jesse Beal.....	July 24, 1917
583	Peter Moline.....	Jan. 9, 1917	639	O. Selan.....	Sept. 15, 1917
583	Victor Swanson.....	Jan. 21, 1917	640	Wm. Gast.....	Jan. 4, 1917
583	Chas. Lamon.....	Feb. 11, 1917	640	Christlan Barlow.....	Oct. 28, 1917
583	F. A. Landee.....	Mar. 23, 1917	641	Joe Asbury.....	May 19, 1917
583	Emil Brown.....	April 4, 1917	641	J. M. Jenkins.....	Nov. 24, 1917
583	Axel Holmer.....	April 18, 1917	641	J. B. Turner.....	Dec. 19, 1917
583	Carl F. Petersen.....	Oct. 27, 1917	643	N. J. McElligott.....	May 5, 1917
584	Andrew Hanson.....	April 1, 1917	643	C. S. Thomas.....	Aug. 30, 1917
585	L. A. Townsend.....	Aug. 24, 1917	645	Jas. A. Bond.....	Jan. 23, 1917
587	L. O. Hultgren.....	April 8, 1917	645	Jno. Cramer.....	June 9, 1917
589	O. H. Dunbar.....	May 19, 1917	645	W. M. Meredith.....	Dec. 26, 1917
590	Maurace Dow.....	Aug. 25, 1917	647	H. J. McHenry.....	Aug. 16, 1917
590	B. F. LeFeuer.....	Sept. 23, 1917	648	J. W. Robinson.....	April 12, 1917
593	J. J. Sanders.....	Feb. 11, 1917	653	L. S. James.....	May 25, 1917
593	Orlando Sawyer.....	April 2, 1917	653	G. F. Golliday.....	Sept. 21, 1917
593	J. C. Minor.....	Nov. 7, 1917	656	Virgil Jacometti.....	April 16, 1917
593	J. A. Green.....	Nov. 11, 1917	656	S. H. Killifer.....	Oct. 6, 1917
599	M. Decker.....	May 2, 1917	658	Chas. Runden.....	April 12, 1917
599	Joseph Rainey.....	Dec. 17, 1917	659	W. D. Barnhart.....	Sept. 21, 1917
600	R. E. Johnson.....	Jan. 27, 1917	660	Wm. C. Brockmiller.....	May 24, 1917
600	Ralph Jamison.....	July 25, 1917	664	W. H. Clinton.....	May 10, 1917
601	Martin Hensel.....	May 25, 1917	664	Bernie Younger.....	Oct. 5, 1917
601	F. A. Anderson.....	Dec. 6, 1917	664	J. G. Reed.....	Oct. 5, 1917
602	D. E. Sage.....	July 13, 1917	665	W. Jesperson.....	April 10, 1917
603	A. W. Fodge.....	.....	668	Jno. Williams.....	Sept. 14, 1917
604	Ben Baumgartner.....	Feb. 20, 1917	671	Noah Spear.....	Sept. 16, 1917
605	Chas. Elder.....	.....	671	A. L. Riekey.....	Nov. 14, 1917
608	Chas. Okeg.....	Feb. 4, 1917	672	W. M. Hatfield.....	Mar. 19, 1917
608	L. W. Johnson.....	Nov. 11, 1917	672	Fred Comber.....	Aug. 16, 1917
608	W. H. Scott.....	Dec. 3, 1917	673	Jno. L. Hebbelthwaite.....	April 4, 1917
608	O. W. Baughman.....	Dec. 13, 1917	673	P. B. Mooney.....	June 15, 1917
608	Eugene Hanson.....	Dec. 24, 1917	674	Geo. Garrett.....	Nov. 17, 1917
608	H. Lakeman.....	Jan. 3, 1917	679	J. I. Carney.....	June 21, 1917
609	Geo. Kilgore.....	May 26, 1917	679	Jno. Edwards.....	Oct. 12, 1917
612	C. M. Foreman.....	April 29, 1917	681	Ellsworth England.....	Feb. 22, 1917
614	Clem Trotter.....	Feb. 24, 1917	685	A. B. Melville.....	May 9, 1917
614	Jefferson Bandy.....	Oct. 3, 1917	688	Jno. W. White.....	April 1, 1917
615	Albert Maynor.....	Jan. 20, 1917	689	Edw. F. Dawson.....	Mar. 11, 1917
615	W. B. L. Biggs.....	Nov. 25, 1917	689	A. M. Tumholm.....	June 21, 1917
615	Jno. Scott.....	July 6, 1917	689	Dell Gallino.....	July 14, 1917
617	J. H. Clark.....	Sept. 24, 1917	689	Fred Infield.....	Aug. 8, 1917
619	Wallace A. Noteman.....	Jan. 5, 1917	689	C. R. Zitzka.....	Sept. 18, 1917
619	Axel Holmquist.....	Jan. 6, 1917	690	Arthur McCosh.....	Oct. 30, 1917
619	Wm. Ubinger.....	May 6, 1917	691	Victor Meier.....	July 23, 1917
620	Scott A. Neatfour.....	Feb. 4, 1917	694	Ishmael Fortney.....	Sept. 22, 1917
621	J. K. West.....	.....	697	J. D. Brown.....	April 23, 1917
624	Wm. Richardson.....	Nov. 29, 1917	698	Chas. H. Philbrick.....	Oct. 19, 1916
625	J. E. Gray.....	Mar. 25, 1917	698	W. Pass.....	Feb. 1, 1917
626	J. T. Wilson.....	Mar. 6, 1917	698	Jno. S. Johnson.....	May 16, 1917
626	Chas. Anderson.....	July 25, 1917	699	S. J. Mellin.....	Mar. 8, 1917
626	Hans Ericksen.....	Sept. 24, 1917	699	Martin T. Petersen.....	May 11, 1917
627	R. D. Jackson.....	Mar. 5, 1917	699	O. J. Svedman.....	May 23, 1917
630	Robt. L. Pltte.....	May 8, 1917	699	Jorgen E. Svendsen.....	Aug. 12, 1917
630	Edw. K. Meydrech.....	May 29, 1917	699	Peter Rudd.....	Nov. 18, 1917
630	Jno. J. Zahrobsky.....	July 24, 1917	699	Hans J. Sorensen.....	Nov. 16, 1917
630	Joseph Lecky.....	Nov. 12, 1917	699	H. L. Crown.....	Dec. 22, 1917
630	Frank Mencl.....	Dec. 17, 1917	702	S. R. Clark.....	June 22, 1917
631	A. McCarty.....		703	Jas. Kelley.....	June 3, 1917
632	W. E. Owens.....	Feb. 12, 1917	703	J. H. Rye.....	Dec. 20, 1917

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704	Jas. Jordan.....	Mar. 31, 1917
704	A. N. Sheppard.....	May 2, 1917
704	T. B. Studar.....	Dec. 25, 1917
707	Jas. H. Lister.....	June 16, 1917
708	I. M. Kuebler.....	Oct. 3, 1917
710	O. P. Patton.....	Oct. 5, 1917
710	L. N. Riley.....	Oct. 19, 1917
711	G. A. Megginson.....	Oct. 16, 1917
713	Vern Hornbrook.....	May 27, 1917
714	F. F. Leonard.....	Mar. 21, 1917
714	J. F. Stevens.....	June 3, 1917
715	Wm. Hutson.....	July 19, 1917
715	A. Grending.....	Nov. 30, 1917
716	Jacob Eckman.....	July 13, 1917
716	Nels E. Nelson.....	Oct. 12, 1917
716	C. L. Kortman.....	Dec. 13, 1917
717	Chas. H. Lutz.....	June 20, 1917
718	W. P. Bailey.....	Feb. 25, 1917
718	Otto Konrad.....	May 24, 1917
720	D. M. Butler.....	.....
721	Jas. Lish.....	Feb. 23, 1917
722	Geo. Percy.....	Jan. 15, 1917
722	H. Voelkner.....	Feb. 16, 1917
722	Wm. Wesley.....	April 4, 1917
722	Moses Frank.....	May 16, 1917
722	G. Anderson.....	Aug. 6, 1917
722	S. E. Anderson.....	Aug. 6, 1917
723	B. F. VanPatten.....	July 13, 1917
725	Jno. Hight.....	Aug. 20, 1917
725	W. H. Stack.....	July 26, 1917
727	M. L. McGinnis.....	May 30, 1917
727	O. F. Martin.....	Aug. 21, 1917
728	C. E. Tooloway.....	July 12, 1917
728	C. H. Winters.....	Dec. 19, 1917
730	Adelbert Allen.....	June 17, 1917
731	S. L. Jackson.....	Jan. 30, 1917
734	Geo. Benson.....	Dec. 28, 1917
735	T. W. L. Belk.....	Feb. 18, 1917
735	Richard Linder.....	Mar. 7, 1917
736	W. T. Gibbons.....	Feb. 3, 1917
740	E. Music.....	Dec. 25, 1917
741	P. A. Cunningham.....	July 8, 1917
742	G. D. Lawrence.....	Jan. 2, 1917
742	Jas. Blower.....	Sept. 18, 1917
745	T. J. Jones.....	June 3, 1917
745	D. W. Cravens.....	Nov. 21, 1917
747	J. D. Rodebaugh.....	Feb. 16, 1917
748	Thos. Russell.....	Dec. 28, 1917
749	W. L. Collier.....	Nov. 8, 1917
749	W. J. Hay.....	Sept. 3, 1917
751	Andrew J. Russell.....	Feb. 11, 1917
752	Miles Smith.....	Aug. 15, 1917
752	C. R. Henry.....	Sept. 3, 1917
754	W. J. Ruffner.....	Oct. 17, 1917
756	Chas. Boettcher.....	April 22, 1917
756	H. Laro.....	Aug. 1, 1917
756	J. Biering.....	Nov. 16, 1917
757	Linnie Stone.....	Mar. 1, 1917
757	W. J. Sloan.....	June 13, 1917
758	A. D. Smith.....	Jan. 13, 1917
758	C. Beloit.....	July 25, 1917
758	Jno. Butterick.....	Dec. 30, 1917
761	Ed. Kirby.....	May 17, 1917
761	J. F. Baker.....	Nov. 16, 1917
766	Geo. Anderson.....	Feb. 4, 1917
766	Carl Paulson.....	Feb. 17, 1917
767	Seymour Weston.....	June 20, 1917
768	S. T. Zeller, Sr.....	May 28, 1917

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768	Herman Wennerstrom.....	July 16, 1917
771	H. E. Conant.....	July 10, 1917
771	J. C. Cox.....	Sept. 11, 1917
771	T. A. Morton.....	Dec. 11, 1917
772	Roscoe Walker.....	Mar. 15, 1917
774	Valentine Davis.....	Jan. 22, 1917
774	Edd Stevens.....	Oct. 30, 1917
783	Oscar Deacon.....	Oct. 1, 1917
786	Frank R. Mecum.....	.....
792	T. C. Jones.....	April 25, 1917
793	Geo. Hutchinson.....	Sept. 7, 1917
794	E. R. Hamm.....	Dec. 28, 1917
799	Carl M. Eliasson.....	Dec. 17, 1917
800	C. B. Bartlett.....	July 4, 1917
800	N. E. Overacker.....	Sept. 3, 1917
800	W. G. Dunham.....	Sept. 8, 1917
801	Henry Humphrey.....	Oct. 22, 1917
806	Jno. Samuelson.....	April 1, 1917
807	N. Boldrey.....	Feb. 11, 1917
812	Jas. W. Hill.....	April 15, 1917
812	Chas. H. Johnson.....	June 20, 1917
812	Waldemar Ankerstrand.....	July 18, 1917
812	Karl Emanuel Stenback.....	July 18, 1917
812	Chas. G. Johnson.....	Aug. 12, 1917
812	Chas. J. Erickson.....	Aug. 27, 1917
812	Nils J. Lindgren.....	Nov. 4, 1917
812	Claes Hultgren.....	Dec. 19, 1917
816	Henry Woodward.....	Mar. 6, 1917
817	Chas. Swanson.....	Jan. 9, 1917
817	A. M. Ott.....	Mar. 6, 1917
819	H. H. Albers.....	Nov. 14, 1917
821	Norman Patterson.....	July 5, 1917
822	S. A. Brady.....	May 21, 1917
822	M. Olsen.....	Oct. 10, 1917
823	Bert Abraham.....	Feb. 13, 1917
823	Henry Yantis.....	Nov. 15, 1917
824	C. R. Carter.....	Jan. 28, 1917
824	T. H. Patton.....	Aug. 8, 1917
825	L. M. Tash.....	Jan. 30, 1917
825	B. Nathan.....	Jan. 4, 1917
825	J. H. Atwood.....	Oct. 6, 1917
826	Wm. T. Catterton.....	June 3, 1917
828	Elmer Dwyer.....	Jan. 27, 1917
828	Jesse Hammon.....	Dec. 10, 1917
829	Jno. Greenway.....	.....
829	Wm. Heller.....	.....
831	Fred Castner.....	April 19, 1917
831	Vernon L. Everett.....	May 2, 1917
831	Andrew J. Polonek, Sr.....	May 4, 1917
831	Chas. J. Larimer.....	Aug. 28, 1917
831	Albert Schumacher.....	Nov. 16, 1917
835	E. S. Upchurch.....	Mar. 12, 1917
837	Geo. White.....	Dec. 29, 1917
838	C. J. Christian.....	Mar. 22, 1917
839	Jno. Fitzgerald.....	Feb. 21, 1917
841	Jno. W. Meyer.....	June 23, 1917
841	Albert J. Foster.....	July 23, 1917
842	D. J. Gettel.....	.....
843	G. W. Hendrix.....	.....
852	Jno. Jenkins.....	Jan. 27, 1917
852	H. C. Hoenamann.....	July 3, 1917
858	Henry Lyons.....	May 31, 1917
859	S. J. Tenney.....	Mar. 20, 1917
860	Chas. Merryman.....	May 9, 1917
862	A. E. Tooper.....	Feb. 6, 1917
862	L. B. Kincherbocker.....	Nov. 3, 1917
862	F. H. Peddicord.....	Nov. 7, 1917
863	Wm. Alvis.....	Nov. 9, 1917

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863	J. W. Spicer.....	July 29, 1917	931	J. W. Forcade.....	Feb. 21, 1917
863	L. J. Galbraith.....	July 14, 1917	932	Arthur Tucker.....	
864	Thomas Thornton.....	.....	933	Julius A. Leyrer.....	Mar. 10, 1917
865	Thos. Baily.....	April 4, 1917	933	Frank Comfort.....	April 2, 1917
865	I. N. Moore.....	July 11, 1917	933	Phil I. Orme.....	April 15, 1917
868	Jno. Bronenkanit.....	Mar. 20, 1917	934	D. T. Waters.....	May 24, 1917
868	W. H. Cassaday.....	Dec. 9, 1917	937	Jno. Vannatta.....	May 18, 1917
870	W. H. D'Lamatter.....	Mar. 14, 1917	939	W. F. Putnam.....	Feb. 4, 1917
871	Thos. J. Elderkin.....	Oct. 30, 1917	942	Jerry M. Holmes.....	June 5, 1917
871	Geo. H. Schaaf.....	Dec. 2, 1917	942	Albert Mick.....	June 7, 1917
871	Bowder W. Reid.....	Dec. 21, 1917	946	Thos. Ogilvie.....	April 26, 1917
874	Isham Russell.....	Mar. 21, 1917	947	Jno. Britenstine.....	Mar. 21, 1917
874	D. O. Allen.....	Aug. 16, 1917	948	C. Nocoln.....	Feb. 13, 1917
876	J. R. Ross.....	Oct. 19, 1917	952	J. W. Adams.....	Dec. 9, 1917
878	Hans Hansen.....	Feb. 5, 1917	953	C. C. Bullock.....	June 8, 1917
878	Geo. A. Wills.....	July 24, 1917	953	Harvey Turner.....	Nov. 29, 1917
878	N. J. Arthur Hansen.....	Sept. 18, 1917	953	Rex Thompson.....	Nov. 29, 1917
879	S. S. Blair.....	Oct. 2, 1917	953	W. I. Roth.....	Nov. 29, 1917
880	Wm. Sennett.....	May 22, 1917	953	Ed. Keller.....	Nov. 29, 1917
884	Jesse Anderson.....	April 26, 1917	955	Chas. M. Smith.....	Feb. 23, 1917
884	A. C. Terhune.....	Nov. 23, 1917	955	Wm. E. Richardson.....	May 6, 1917
885	Gilbert Storey.....	May 30, 1917	956	J. A. Graves.....	April 13, 1917
885	Isaac Palmer.....	Sept. 21, 1917	956	C. W. Stout.....	Sept. 12, 1917
886	Jno. Davison.....	Aug. 12, 1917	962	Wm. Summers.....	July 26, 1917
888	J. M. Groves.....	Feb. 17, 1917	963	Elijah Light.....	.....
889	Robt Eads.....	Mar. 13, 1917	965	Albert Miller.....	Dec. 12, 1917
889	Leroy Thorp.....	Dec. 2, 1917	966	F. M. Hill.....	June 19, 1917
890	Wm. Gieber.....	Dec. 6, 1917	966	E. R. Howard.....	Feb. 13, 1917
892	C. F. Farren.....	Feb. 17, 1917	966	C. L. McKinzie.....	Aug. 5, 1917
892	Wm. Weightman.....	July 4, 1917	973	M. S. Mulvaney.....	July 9, 1917
893	J. F. Furay.....	Jan. 27, 1917	975	Levl Jackson.....	Oct. 6, 1917
893	F. D. Allen.....	April 28, 1917	975	Ed. Booten.....	Dec. 2, 1917
896	Henry M. Fletcher.....	Sept. 17, 1917	978	Chas. F. Graham.....	Dec. 20, 1917
900	G. W. Flinn.....	April 24, 1917	983	H. G. Loving.....	.....
901	Samuel Harbour.....	Sept. 25, 1917	989	Jno. Clover.....	June 1, 1917
903	Harry Well.....	Mar. 17, 1917	989	J. Clark.....	Aug. 1, 1917
904	W. S. Bumpus.....	Feb. 28, 1917	989	W. G. Kell.....	Nov. 22, 1917
905	R. W. Curry.....	June 1, 1917	990	Louis C. Hirschner.....	Mar. 7, 1917
906	Jas. Houldsworth.....	.....	990	Ray Fankhouser.....	Dec. 27, 1917
906	Clarence Bitner.....	Sept. 20, 1917	997	Sam Waldron.....	April 19, 1917
908	H. Konde.....	Jan. 9, 1917	999	P. W. Mason.....	Mar. 27, 1917
908	J. Christensen.....	Feb. 18, 1917	999	Chas. Nichols.....	June 2, 1917
908	S. L. Luce.....	Oct. 29, 1917	999	W. V. Jones.....	June 27, 1917
909	Max Zaslawsee.....	July 9, 1917	1000	M. W. Yetter.....	May 23, 1917
909	Emanuel Goldstein.....	Sept. 19, 1917	1006	Geo. Dupy.....	.....
909	Jacob Morris.....	Oct. 6, 1917	1007	Leroy Meyers.....	Jan. 6, 1917
911	Robt. Wagoneller.....	Oct. 21, 1917	1007	Geo. Wedlake.....	Aug. 9, 1917
912	J. H. Troufudge.....	Jan. 10, 1917	1009	T. P. Randolph.....	Feb. 5, 1917
912	Daniel Bottrell.....	May 28, 1917	1010	D. E. Wiggins.....	Mar. 16, 1917
912	C. D. McCorkel.....	July 1, 1917	1013	Chas. A. Moore.....	Dec. 3, 1917
913	E. T. Laughlin.....	Aug. 12, 1917	1014	Nelson P. Fay.....	Nov. 15, 1917
917	A. Sterling.....	May 19, 1917	1020	Jas. Black.....	Jan. 4, 1917
917	Jacob Pell.....	Oct. 21, 1917	1025	P. A. Renfro.....	Dec. 13, 1917
918	G. R. Brown.....	May 12, 1917	1026	Frank Riddel.....	Sept. 16, 1917
919	Wm. Turner.....	Oct. 30, 1917	1029	Wm. L. Starrett.....	May 25, 1917
921	T. J. Jackson.....	June 22, 1917	1035	Nicholas Block.....	May 3, 1917
923	David E. Sands.....	Mar. 12, 1917	1035	M. Marschauer.....	June 1, 1917
923	G. G. Bartscht.....	Nov. 2, 1917	1035	David Levy.....	Aug. 27, 1917
923	Jas. Morrison.....	Nov. 23, 1917	1036	David Herrlin.....	Nov. 15, 1917
927	Wilbert Stroup.....	Feb. 18, 1917			

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GRAND OFFICERS.								
Elective.								
H. M. Blood, G.M.....	645	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	\$14 80	\$0 00	\$23 80
L. M. Kagy, D.G.M.....	114	Salem Marion	106	19	3	8 48	9 00	17 48
John W. Birney, G.W....	77	Bloomington McLean	52	19	3	4 64	9 00	13 64
John H. Sikes, G. Sec'y	465	Springfield Sangamon	157	19	3	12 56	9 00	21 56
Melvin P. Berry, G.T....	412	Carthage Hancock	114	19	3	9 12	9 00	18 12
James Ewing Davis, G.R.	990	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
A. Otis Arnold.....	12	Quincy Adams	113	18	4	9 04	12 00	21 04
Appointive.								
Rev. O. F. Jordan, G.C.	673	Evanston Cook	112	19	3	8 96	9 00	17 96
Andrew G. Anderson, G.M.	812	Chicago Cook	112	19	3	8 96	9 00	17 96
Ira W. Mullen, G.C.....	69	Danville Vermilion	112	19	3	8 96	9 00	17 96
E. A. Ridenour, G.G.....	133	Moline Rock Island	157	19	3	12 56	9 00	21 56
A. L. Bone, G.H.....	3	Greenville Bond	76	19	3	6 08	9 00	15 08
Owen Scott, G.I.....	186	Decatur Macon	38	18	4	3 04	12 00	15 04
Charles M. Hunt, A.G.I.	11	Chicago Cook	185	18	4	14 80	12 00	26 80
REPRESENTATIVES.								
Jas. E. Wilkinson.....	1	Alton Madison	72	19	3	5 76	9 00	14 76
Arthur J. Geist.....	2	Blue Island Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Has. H. Travis.....	3	Greenville Bond	76	19	3	6 08	9 00	15 08
Robt. C. Allen.....	4	Jacksonville Morgan	242	19	3	2 72	9 00	11 72
W. F. Eggleston.....	5	Galena Jo Daviess	242	19	3	19 36	9 00	28 36
Theo. Agnew.....	6	Springfield Sangamon	157	19	3	12 56	9 00	21 56
J. H. Moran.....	7	Altonville Moultrie	71	18	3	5 68	9 00	14 68
Wm. F. Sutherland.....	8	Chicago Cook	155	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
John C. Perry.....	9	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Henry Roe.....	10	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Joseph A. Withowsky...	11	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
C. Newman.....	12	Quincy Adams	113	19	3	9 04	9 00	18 04
R. L. Lacey.....	13	Mt. Vernon Jefferson	125	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
E. J. Hohn.....	14	St. Charles Kane	180	19	3	14 40	9 00	23 40
P. J. Hunt.....	15	Canton Fulton	72	19	3	5 76	9 00	14 76
C. A. Prince.....	16	Beardstown Cass	46	19	3	4 48	9 00	13 48
C. O. Samuelson.....	18	Rock Island Rock Island	155	19	3	12 40	9 00	21 40
Samuel Breuner.....	19	Equality Gallatin	182	19	3	14 56	9 00	23 56
S. R. Ford.....	20	Birds Lawrence	146	19	3	12 16	9 00	21 16
Jas. W. Firth.....	21	Peoria Peoria	63	19	3	5 04	9 00	14 04
Wallie G. Lorentz.....	22	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
J. M. Austin.....	23	Lockport Will	152	19	3	12 16	9 00	21 16
Robt. Black.....	24	Rushville Schuyler	86	19	3	6 88	9 00	15 88
A. S. May.....	25	Troy Madison	106	19	3	8 48	9 00	17 48
H. D. Jett.....	26	Custer Sagamon	12	19	3	1 12	9 00	10 12
Chas. Wehmeier.....	27	Waterloo Monroe	123	19	3	9 84	9 00	18 84
Harry R. Puterbaugh...	28	Belvidere Boone	230	19	3	18 40	9 00	27 40
Philip Reltz.....	29	Joliet Will	148	19	3	11 84	9 00	20 84
E. L. Yoder.....	30	Freeport Stephenson	199	19	3	15 92	9 00	24 92
Robert P. Stack.....	31	Rockford Winnebago	227	19	3	18 16	9 00	27 16
E. A. Laign.....	32	Fairfield Wayne	159	19	3	12 80	9 00	21 80
Simon Geiger.....	33	Elizabeth Jo Daviess	227	19	3	17 68	9 00	26 68
	34	Peru Adams	122	19	3	9 76	9 00	18 76

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C. W. Seitz	35	Mt. Carmel..... Wabash	163	19	3	13 04	9 00	22 04
C. W. Nox	37	Nashville..... Washington	121	19	3	9 68	9 00	18 68
Orille Johnson	38	Carlyle..... Clinton	112	19	3	8 96	9 00	17 96
P. C. Spraul	39	Dixon..... Lee	155	19	3	12 40	9 00	21 40
J. E. Denton	40	Hillsboro..... Montgomery	74	19	3	4 32	9 00	13 32
Elmer E. Roberts	41	Ottawa..... LaSalle	124	19	3	9 92	9 00	18 92
Fred Kelley	42	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
F. W. Herbst	43	Collinsville..... Madison	82	19	3	6 56	9 00	15 56
A. T. Short	44	Farmington..... Fulton	86	19	3	6 88	9 00	15 88
Clarence L. Valentine	45	Aurora..... Kane	172	19	3	13 76	9 00	22 76
Robt. W. Fangenroth	46	Edwardsville..... Madison	73	19	3	5 84	9 00	14 84
Carl Duerling	47	Elgin..... Kane	194	19	3	15 52	9 00	24 52
Geo. Behrens	48	Pekin..... Tazewell	54	19	3	4 32	9 00	13 32
H. E. Tucker	49	Chapin..... Morgan	44	19	3	3 68	9 00	12 68
Howard B. Petty	50	Mt. Carroll..... Carroll	201	19	3	16 08	9 00	25 08
C. E. Humphrey	51	Lewistown..... Fulton	53	19	3	4 72	9 00	13 72
Harvey Stark	52	Sparta..... Randolph	147	19	3	11 76	9 00	20 76
O. H. Richards	53	Jerseyville..... Jersey	60	18	4	5 28	12 00	17 28
Jas. Manhart	54	Elizabethtown..... Hardin	202	19	3	16 72	9 00	25 72
Frank J. Dobbs	55	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
C. H. Mishler	56	Mt. Morris..... Ogle	156	19	3	14 88	9 00	23 88
J. W. Heine	57	Chester..... Randolph	158	19	3	12 64	9 00	21 64
Henry Grote	58	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Harry E. Merrefield	59	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
John A. Fosdick	60	Woodstock..... McHenry	215	19	3	17 20	9 00	26 20
A. M. Spicer	62	Georgetown..... Vermilion	116	19	3	9 60	9 00	18 60
L. R. Hunt	63	Henry..... Marshall	96	19	3	7 68	9 00	16 68
F. R. Black	64	Marshall..... Clark	128	19	3	10 24	9 00	19 24
I. E. Ball	65	Decatur..... Macon	28	19	3	3 04	9 00	12 04
Hiram Wilkins	66	Magnolia..... Putnam	111	19	3	8 88	9 00	17 88
Hugh Davis	67	Cairo..... Alexander	218	19	3	17 04	9 00	26 04
R. T. Millner	68	Virginia..... Cass	33	19	3	2 64	9 00	11 64
J. L. Martin	69	Danville..... Vermilion	112	19	3	8 96	9 00	17 96
J. E. Coultas	70	Winchester..... Scott	54	19	3	4 32	9 00	13 32
Chas. E. Wallace	71	Warsaw..... Hancock	131	19	3	10 48	9 00	19 48
Edwin W. Seeborn	72	Versailles..... Brown	66	19	3	5 20	9 00	14 20
John Mortensen	73	Griggsville..... Pike	65	19	3	5 04	9 00	14 04
H. B. Foster	74	Watseka..... Iroquois	126	19	3	10 08	9 00	19 08
J. A. Powell	75	Morris..... Grundy	147	19	3	11 76	9 00	20 76
Rolla Jones	76	Perry..... Pike	71	19	3	5 68	9 00	14 68
V. C. Boynton	77	Bloomington..... McLean	85	19	3	4 64	9 00	13 64
Wayne L. Beden	78	Ellisville..... Fulton	85	19	3	4 64	9 00	13 64
S. F. Baumgartner	79	Vermont..... Fulton	70	19	3	5 60	9 00	14 60
E. Newton	80	Harvey..... Cook	175	19	3	14 00	9 00	23 00
A. C. Ellis	81	Naperville..... Du Page	181	19	3	14 48	9 00	23 48
Edward Fries	82	Concord..... Morgan	41	19	3	3 52	9 00	12 52
C. T. Bloruck	83	Naples..... Scott	55	19	3	4 40	9 00	13 40
Eugene Lafont	84	Columbus..... Adams	100	19	3	8 00	9 00	17 00
Geo. Nollman	85	Efingham..... Efingham	57	19	3	6 96	9 00	15 96
Jno. E. Hein	86	Metropolis..... Massac	209	19	3	16 72	9 00	25 72
H. W. Elliot	87	Nameoki..... Madison	84	19	3	6 72	9 00	15 72
Geo. Pattison	88	Lacon..... Marshal	90	19	3	7 20	9 00	16 20
Joseph Stephens	89	Princeton..... Bureau	126	19	3	10 48	9 00	19 48
E. E. Barr	90	Charleston..... Coles	51	19	3	7 28	9 00	16 28
Fred Points	91	Paris..... Edgar	111	19	3	8 88	9 00	17 88
Matthew McCulloch	92	Arcadia..... Morgan	42	19	3	3 52	9 00	12 52
Robert M. Weeks	93	Waverly..... Morgan	22	19	3	1 76	9 00	10 76
	94	Oregon..... Ogle	184	19	3	14 40	9 00	23 40
	95	Pittsfield..... Pike	74	19	3	6 08	9 00	15 08

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H. W. Walker.....	96	Toulon.....Stark	96	19	3	7 92	9 00	16 92
Chas. Rice.....	97	Tamaroa.....Perry	128	..	..			
J. W. Perriman.....	98	Clinton.....DeWitt	44	19	3	3 52	9 00	12 52
W. G. White.....	99	Grayville.....White	173	19	3	14 00	9 00	23 00
Hamil Veach.....	100	Clayton.....Adams	85	19	3	6 80	9 00	15 80
Wm. J. Richards.....	101	LaSalle.....LaSalle	119	19	3	9 52	9 00	18 52
S. J. Wiley.....	102	Elmwood.....Peoria	90	19	3	7 20	9 00	16 20
A. W. Voorhees.....	103	Smithfield.....Fulton	74	19	3	5 92	9 00	14 92
F. C. Houchins.....	104	Waynesville.....DeWitt	45	19	3	3 60	9 00	12 60
Jno. R. Chatfield.....	105	Sycamore.....DeKalb	201	19	3	16 08	9 00	25 08
W. H. Bichnell.....	106	Hutsonville.....Crawford	143	19	3	11 44	9 00	20 44
R. E. Vornkahl.....	107	Carlinville.....Macoupin	39	19	3	3 12	9 00	12 12
A. S. Hart.....	108	Centralia.....Marion	103	19	3	8 24	9 00	17 24
Wm. A. Munca.....	109	Peoria.....Peoria	63	19	3	5 04	9 00	14 04
Martin E. Luck.....	110	LaGrange.....Cook	197	19	3	15 76	9 00	24 76
Fred Rice.....	111	Potomac.....Vermilion	110	19	3	8 80	9 00	17 80
Oscar Parrish.....	112	Astoria.....Fulton	63	19	3	5 04	9 00	14 04
Geo. A. Kinney.....	113	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
E. J. Jones.....	114	Salem.....Marion	106	19	3	8 48	9 00	17 48
Everett Robinson.....	115	Bridgeport.....Lawrence	148	19	3	11 84	9 00	20 84
Toby J. Travis.....	116	Greenup.....Cumberland	103	19	3	8 24	9 00	17 24
Henry Hodges.....	117	Shelbyville.....Shelby	59	19	3	4 72	9 00	13 72
J. E. Taylor.....	118	Hennepin.....Putnam	115	..	..	.....	.....	.....
J. V. Podesva.....	119	Lebanon.....St. Clair	115	19	3	9 20	9 00	18 20
E. P. Rose.....	120	Fairview.....Fulton	79	19	3	6 32	9 00	15 32
W. R. Hart.....	121	Franklin.....Morgan	28	19	3	2 24	9 00	11 24
N. S. Buchannan.....	122	Vandalia.....Fayette	73	19	3	5 84	9 00	14 84
Samuel Salverson.....	123	Petersburg.....Menard	23	19	3	1 84	9 00	10 84
Ed. A. Kessler.....	124	Robinson.....Crawford	134	15	3	10 72	9 00	19 72
L. M. Parish.....	125	Pearl.....Pike	61	19	3	4 88	9 00	13 88
J. T. North.....	126	Farmer City.....DeWitt	62	19	3	4 96	9 00	13 96
W. U. Mitchell.....	127	Ursa.....Adams	123	..	..	.....	.....	.....
Porter L. Thompson.....	128	Kewanee.....Henry	119	19	3	9 52	9 00	18 52
W. A. Cooley.....	129	Princeville.....Peoria	80	..	..	.....	.....	.....
R. E. Billings.....	130	Wheeler.....Jasper	101	19	3	8 08	9 00	17 08
Geo. Meers.....	131	Vandercook.....Vermilion	111	19	3	8 88	9 00	17 88
K. H. Kilby.....	132	Murphysboro.....Jackson	161	19	3	12 88	9 00	21 88
Fred J. Wiese.....	133	Moline.....Rock Island	157	19	3	12 56	9 00	21 56
Homer Snyder.....	134	Martinsville.....Clark	120	19	3	9 60	9 00	18 60
I. H. Rainbolt.....	135	Joppa.....Massac	219	19	3	17 52	9 00	26 52
Oscar Perrine.....	136	Johnston City.....Williamson	167	19	3	13 36	9 00	22 36
H. G. Meisenheimer.....	137	West Salem.....Edwards	146	..	..	.....	.....	.....
S. W. Yocum.....	138	N. Philad'lphia.....McDonough	85	19	3	6 80	9 00	15 80
T. O. Henderson.....	139	Urbana.....Champaign	85	19	3	6 80	9 00	15 80
C. T. Kleine.....	140	Rockford.....Winnebago	227	19	3	18 16	9 00	27 16
Walter B. Creighton.....	141	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
R. H. Dickerson.....	142	Galesburg.....Knox	104	19	3	8 72	9 00	17 72
Charles O. Cleer.....	143	Havana.....Mason	46	19	3	3 68	9 00	12 68
W. S. Norris.....	144	Washington.....Tazewell	74	19	3	5 92	9 00	14 92
W. C. Icenogle.....	145	Macomb.....McDonough	100	15	3	8 00	9 00	17 00
Webster E. Johnson.....	146	Durand.....Winnebago	214	19	3	17 12	9 00	26 12
D. H. Duncan.....	147	Tiskilwa.....Bureau	119	19	3	9 52	9 00	18 52
W. J. Patterson.....	148	Fulton.....Whiteside	179	19	3	14 32	9 00	23 32
A. Barnett.....	149	LeRoy.....McLean	71	19	3	5 68	9 00	14 68
C. C. Ream.....	150	Redmon.....Edgar	103	19	3	8 24	9 00	17 24
John M. Pater.....	151	Flora.....Clay	108	19	3	8 64	9 00	17 64
John M. Burt.....	152	Armington.....Tazewell	47	19	3	3 76	9 00	12 76
J. H. Balmer.....	153	Little York.....Warren	129	..	..	.....	.....	.....
Fred Randall.....	154	Dunlap.....Peoria	78	19	3	6 24	9 00	15 24
J. B. Henning.....	155	DeKalb.....DeKalb	196	19	3	15 68	9 00	24 68

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C. F. Sharp.....	157	Melvin..... Ford	33	19	3			
F. M. Pearce.....	158	Sullivan..... Moultrie	65	19	3	5 20	9 00	14 20
Geo. M. Johnson.....	159	Pinckneyville..... Perry	159	19	3	12 72	9 00	21 72
Geo. B. Moreland.....	160	Monmouth..... Warren	118	19	3	9 44	9 00	18 44
Fred F. Kasserman.....	161	Newton..... Jasper	111	19	3	8 88	9 00	17 88
Geo. Weisshaar.....	162	Newark..... Kendall	.....	19	3	.....	.....	.....
D. W. Crumrine.....	163	Rutland..... LaSalle	65	19	3	7 60	9 00	16 60
Bruce Machen.....	164	Savanna..... Carroll	202	19	3	16 16	9 00	25 16
H. L. Smargon.....	165	Chicago..... Cook	155	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Chas. C. Smith.....	166	Springfield..... Sangamon	.....	19	3	.....	9 00	9 00
Chas. T. Schilling.....	167	Leaf River..... Ogle	159	19	3	15 12	9 00	24 12
H. H. Leighty.....	169	Allendale..... Wabash	172	19	3	13 76	9 00	22 76
J. E. Wells.....	170	Raritan..... Henderson	110	19	3	8 80	9 00	17 80
F. E. Perkins.....	171	Plano..... Kendall	163	19	3	13 04	9 00	22 04
Oscar Peterson.....	172	Geneseo..... Henry	155	19	3	12 40	9 00	21 40
C. Bowerman.....	173	Pecatonica..... Winnebago	213	19	3	.....	.....	.....
J. C. Stoddard.....	174	Sterling..... Whiteside	153	19	3	12 24	9 00	21 24
R. W. Hoyt.....	175	Marengo..... McHenry	216	19	3	.....	.....	.....
C. I. Miller.....	176	Atlanta..... Logan	89	19	3	3 12	9 00	12 12
Harry M. Bilgus.....	177	Pocahontas..... Bond	86	19	3	6 88	9 00	15 88
John V. Tucker.....	178	Springerton..... White	143	19	3	11 44	9 00	20 44
G. J. Geotsch.....	179	Centralia..... Marion	163	19	3	8 24	9 00	17 24
Geo. Fisch.....	180	Olney..... Richland	137	19	3	10 40	9 00	19 40
J. E. Lassater.....	182	Raleigh..... Saline	170	19	3	.....	.....	.....
Chas M. Hunt.....	183	Parnell..... DeWitt	58	19	3	.....	.....	.....
H. B. Famulener.....	184	Abingdon..... Knox	101	19	3	8 08	9 00	17 08
S. A. Vinyard.....	185	Karber's Ridge..... Hardin	196	19	3	.....	.....	.....
W. W. Curray.....	186	Decatur..... Macon	88	19	3	3 04	9 00	12 04
Allen A. Myers.....	187	Glen Ellyn..... DuPage	189	19	3	15 12	9 00	24 12
D. S. Prentiss.....	188	New Boston..... Mercer	151	19	3	.....	.....	.....
John W. Arbaugh.....	189	Carmi..... White	159	19	3	12 72	9 00	21 72
Eugene Bristol.....	190	Chicago..... Cook	155	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Ralph Proctor.....	191	McLeansboro..... Hamilton	147	19	3	11 76	9 00	20 76
Wm. Edwards.....	192	Girard..... Macoupin	26	19	3	2 08	9 00	11 08
A. A. Goempler.....	193	Oquawka..... Henderson	141	19	3	11 28	9 00	20 28
Jno. H. Shank.....	194	Lena..... Stephenson	211	19	3	16 88	9 00	25 88
Samuel R. Garman.....	195	Greenfield..... Greene	49	19	3	3 92	9 00	12 92
Oscar Allen.....	196	Chillicothe..... Peoria	81	19	3	6 48	9 00	15 48
R. R. Franks.....	197	Polo..... Ogle	168	19	3	13 44	9 00	22 44
T. J. Fitzgerald.....	198	Chicago..... Cook	155	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Victor Olenius.....	199	Cambridge..... Henry	124	19	3	9 92	9 00	18 92
I. S. Dunn.....	200	Divernon..... Sangamon	19	19	3	1 62	9 00	10 52
A. R. Winans.....	201	Marseilles..... LaSalle	122	19	3	.....	.....	.....
Rudolf Tabor.....	202	Cicero..... Cook	193	19	3	15 44	9 00	24 44
S. A. Pendarvis.....	203	Swan Creek..... Warren	101	19	3	.....	.....	.....
Adam Denger.....	204	Lincoln..... Logan	28	19	3	2 24	9 00	11 24
E. D. Fisk.....	205	Prairie City..... McDonough	95	19	3	7 60	9 00	16 60
J. J. Withers.....	206	Lexington..... McLean	75	19	3	6 00	9 00	15 00
Brick Norvill.....	208	Onarga..... Iroquois	116	19	3	9 28	9 00	18 28
J. S. Allen.....	210	Kelthsburg..... Mercer	143	19	3	11 44	9 00	20 44
Jno. A. Leibnitz.....	211	Mason..... Effingham	59	19	3	7 12	9 00	16 12
Geo. J. Sidford.....	212	Sandwich..... DeKalb	158	19	3	12 64	9 00	21 64
Arthur W. Eraughan.....	213	Xenia..... Clay	116	19	3	9 28	9 00	18 28
A. B. Chadwick.....	214	Chicago..... Cook	155	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Wilkie Bruns.....	215	Camp Point..... Adams	91	19	3	7 28	9 00	16 28
J. W. Harkey.....	216	Logansport..... Fayette	89	19	3	.....	.....	.....
A. Trevarrow.....	217	Oak Park..... Cook	194	19	3	15 52	9 00	24 52
Joe Adelman.....	218	Kankakee..... Kankakee	137	19	3	10 96	9 00	19 96

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Frank Willard	219	Joliet..... Will	148	19	3	11 84	9 00	20 84
Walter C. Stone	220	Gillespie..... Macoupin	52	19	3	4 16	9 00	13 16
Fritz Schalk	221	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Fred W. Walther	222	Nauvoo..... Hancock	136	19	3	10 88	9 00	19 88
L. H. Hovell	223	Avon..... Fulton	98	19	3	7 84	9 00	16 84
Geo. A. Piper	224	Cairo..... Alexander	213	19	3	17 04	9 00	26 04
W. F. Cox	225	Sidell..... Vermilion	191	19	3	8 08	9 00	17 08
E. E. Wright	226	Scottville..... Macoupin	53	19	3	3 64	9 00	11 64
Wm. H. Helm	227	White Hall..... Greene	59	19	3	4 72	9 00	13 72
	228	Buckingham..... Kankakee	123	..	..	..	..	..
Wm. Krueger	229	Illinois City..... Rock Island	167	19	3	13 36	9 00	22 36
Fred Harris	230	Rochelle..... Ogle	174	19	3	13 92	9 00	22 92
Jno. Smidl	231	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Coe Melvin	232	DuQuoin..... Perry	139	19	3	11 12	9 00	20 12
F. M. Hewitt	233	Carbondale..... Jackson	159	..	..	..	..	..
F. V. Addis	234	West Jersey..... Stark	105	19	3	8 40	9 00	17 40
Jas. Cralle	235	Bone Gap..... Edwards	151	..	..	..	..	..
Jno. W. Murphy	236	Aledo..... Mercer	146	19	3	11 68	9 00	20 68
Clinton Funkhouser	237	Rantoul..... Champaign	91	19	3	7 28	9 00	16 28
Joe Belanger	238	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Ira P. Harlach	239	Freeport..... Stephenson	199	19	3	15 92	9 00	24 92
Ernest Blish	240	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Wm. Shrum	241	Jonesboro..... Union	188	19	3	15 04	9 00	24 04
L. S. Fitzgerald	242	Ina..... Jefferson	136	19	3	10 88	9 00	19 88
Chas. E. Seymour	243	Jacksonville..... Morgan	34	19	3	2 72	9 00	11 72
Jacob Neu	244	Wyoming..... Stark	94	19	3	7 52	9 00	16 52
D. C. Ade	245	Rossville..... Vermilion	125	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
Mads. C. Larson	246	Maywood..... Cook	195	19	3	15 60	9 00	24 60
	248	Keenes..... Wayne	..	..	..	..	..	..
James Gouchenour	249	Sumner..... Lawrence	142	19	3	11 36	9 00	20 36
J. E. Beaver	250	Mound City..... Pulaski	204	19	3	16 32	9 00	25 32
Frank Hart	251	Belknap..... Johnson	199	19	3	15 92	9 00	24 92
N. G. Foreman	252	Homer..... Champaign	92	19	3	7 36	9 00	16 36
Forest E. Reeves	253	Milford..... Tiroquois	131	19	3	10 48	9 00	19 48
B. N. Sutton	254	Long View..... Champaign	88	..	..	..	..	..
John R. Turner	255	Wapella..... DeWitt	48	19	3	3 84	9 00	12 84
Elmer Dalton	256	Maquon..... Knox	96	19	3	7 68	9 00	16 68
Frank Elmendorf	257	Morrison..... Whiteside	167	19	3	13 36	9 00	22 36
Jas. Jencks	258	Bunker Hill..... Macoupin	62	..	..	..	..	..
Robt. Farran	259	Warren..... JoDaviess	215	19	3	17 20	9 00	26 20
Frank Warren	260	Mattoon..... Coles	80	19	3	6 40	9 00	15 40
Walter E. A. Nelson	261	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Wm. H. Aug	262	Pontiac..... Livingston	93	19	3	7 44	9 00	16 44
Frank E. Wisslead	263	Blandinsville..... McDonough	108	19	3	8 64	9 00	17 64
C. A. McCord	264	DeSoto..... Jackson	150	19	3	12 00	9 00	21 00
Wm. L. Richards	265	Parkersburg..... Richland	..	..	..	..	..	..
Geo. Knott	266	Stillman Valley..... Ogle	192	19	3	15 84	9 00	24 84
Geo. E. Close	267	Millersburg..... Mercer	151	19	3	12 08	9 00	21 08
John H. Bennett	268	Rochester..... Sangamon	7	19	3	56	9 00	9 56
H. E. Spangle	269	Elsah..... Jersey	84	..	..	..	..	..
C. L. Hawkins	270	Golden..... Adams	91	19	3	7 28	9 00	16 28
A. C. Ebert	271	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Robt. Vlasaty	272	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
L. T. Clark	273	Bible Grove..... Clay	112	..	..	..	..	..
B. F. Hudson	274	Moweaqua..... Shelby	54	19	3	4 32	9 00	13 32
Chas. L. Huggins	275	Grove City..... Christian	25	19	3	2 00	9 00	11 00
Benj. Longbones	276	Milmine..... Piatt	54	19	3	4 32	9 00	13 32
H. B. Cheek	277	Milton..... Pike	75	..	..	..	..	..
Geo. W. Clifton	279	Marlow..... Jefferson	128	..	..	..	..	..

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Max Albert, Jr.	280	Cicero Cook	193	19	3	15 44	9 00	24 44
Wm. F. Bogash	281	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
J. W. Miller	282	Okawville Washington	130	19	3	10 40	9 00	19 40
J. P. Foster	283	Wenona Marshall	69	19	3	7 92	9 00	16 92
J. W. Drummond	284	Benton Franklin	151	19	3	12 08	9 00	21 08
August Kalbetz	285	Red Bud Randolph	128	19	3	10 24	9 00	19 24
Geo.	286	Mascoutah St. Clair	114	19	3	.....	.....	.....
Chas. Besinger	287	Liberty Adams	98	19	3	7 84	9 00	16 84
Lloyd S. Bailey	288	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
H. W. Pullen	289	Arcola Douglas	79	19	3	6 32	9 00	15 32
A. W. Morris	290	Fairbury Livingston	91	19	3	7 52	9 00	16 52
Fred Fritzing	291	Anna Union	171	19	3	14 16	9 00	23 16
John H. Keeb	292	Golconda Pope	211	19	3	16 88	9 00	25 88
F. W. Wilcox	293	Mendota LaSalle	135	19	3	10 80	9 00	19 80
W. C. Harger	294	Earlville LaSalle	142	19	3	11 36	9 00	20 36
Henry A. Harder	295	River Grove Cook	197	19	3	15 76	9 00	24 76
Wm. Wright	296	Cabery Ford	119	19	3	9 52	9 00	18 52
Lewis McGinness	297	Brocton Edgar	100	19	3	.....	.....	.....
Henry J. Gunn	298	Tonica LaSalle	110	19	3	8 80	9 00	17 80
Dave Ewing	299	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	.....	.....	.....
W. H. Armstrong	300	Mt. Zion Macon	46	19	3	3 68	9 00	12 68
Wm. Bowman	301	Wilmington Will	114	19	3	.....	.....	.....
John I. Williams	302	Ashley Washington	114	19	3	9 12	9 00	18 12
Frank Knauf	303	Aurora Kane	172	19	3	13 76	9 00	22 76
Richard Petty	304	Coal Valley Rock Island	142	19	3	.....	.....	.....
S. W. Holcomb	307	Elkhart Logan	18	19	3	1 44	9 00	10 44
J. D. Phillips	308	Green Valley Tazewell	43	19	3	3 44	9 00	12 44
C. R. Thornton	309	Browning Schuyler	55	19	3	.....	.....	.....
C. W. Sellars	310	Mt. Sterling Brown	74	19	3	5 92	9 00	14 92
O. V. Wright	311	Eureka Woodford	81	19	3	6 48	9 00	15 48
Myron Newell	312	Spartan Marshall	69	19	3	7 12	9 00	16 12
Geo. R. Stevens	313	Enfield White	149	19	3	11 92	9 00	20 92
John W. Taylor	314	Maroa Macon	51	19	3	4 08	9 00	13 08
Wm. Lee	315	Macedonia Hamilton	155	19	3	.....	.....	.....
Geo. Coley	316	Tuscola Douglas	74	19	3	5 92	9 00	14 92
T. L. Jarrett	318	Niantic Macon	27	19	3	.....	.....	.....
A. H. Weber	319	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Thos. Dohert	320	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Arthur Mason	321	Watson Effingham	91	19	3	7 52	9 00	16 52
S. E. Nelson	322	Bushnell McDonough	86	19	3	7 12	9 00	16 12
O. C. Hall	323	Mechanicsburg Sangamon	18	19	3	1 44	9 00	10 44
Henry Blankenship	324	Vernon Marion	81	19	3	6 72	9 00	15 72
Wm. Board	325	Edgar Edgar	116	19	3	8 80	9 00	17 80
E. W. Rieckman	328	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
F. Oertlin	329	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
C. D. W. Brownson	330	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
W. B. Sinn	331	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
O. O. Larrick	332	Nokomis Montgomery	56	19	3	4 48	9 00	13 48
E. A. Smart	333	Champaign Champaign	84	19	3	6 72	9 00	15 72
Geo. Searles	334	Pana Christian	43	19	3	3 44	9 00	12 44
Blmer T. Keele	335	Chesterfield Macoupin	47	19	3	3 76	9 00	12 76
L. J. Callaway	336	Barry Pike	83	19	3	6 64	9 00	15 64
O. W. Klnther	337	Mason City Mason	83	19	3	2 64	9 00	11 64
J. D. Hart	339	Bell Air Crawford	198	19	3	15 84	9 00	24 84
E. A. Sorrells	341	Ashland Cass	21	19	3	1 68	9 00	10 68
Chas. A. Taylor	342	Carrollton Greene	61	19	3	4 88	9 00	13 88
P. M. McBride	343	Dongola Union	186	19	3	14 88	9 00	23 88

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Elmer E. Spear.....	344	Bement.....Piatt	58	19	3	8 92	9 00	12 92
S. J. Stell.....	346	Cerro Gordo.....Piatt	49	19	3	8 92	9 00	12 92
Don Knupp.....	347	Neoga.....Cumberland	34	19	3	2 72	9 00	11 72
H. E. Standefer.....	348	Palmyra.....Macoupin	34	19	3	2 72	9 00	11 72
P. D. Patmer.....	349	Sheldon.....Iroquois	135	19	3	10 80	9 00	19 80
Edw. W. Lewis.....	350	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Wm. E. Gawthorpe.....	352	Albion.....Edwards	146	19	3	11 68	9 00	20 68
John Euler.....	353	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
W. H. Shriver.....	354	Kimmunity.....Marion	101	19	3	8 08	9 00	17 08
N. B. Roberts.....	355	Toledo.....Cumberland	98	19	3	7 84	9 00	16 84
E. A. Ranson.....	356	Lynnville.....Morgan	42	19	3	3 36	9 00	12 36
Geo. W. Miller.....	357	Quincy.....Adams	113	19	3	9 04	9 00	18 04
L. S. Johnson.....	358	Guthrie.....Ford	87	19	3	6 96	9 00	15 96
Wesley Hathaway.....	359	Elliott.....Ford	89	19	3	7 12	9 00	16 12
.....	360	Cary.....McHenry	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Peter Johnson.....	361	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
H. Baird.....	362	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Palmer Taylor.....	363	Williamsville.....Sangamon	12	19	3	96	9 00	9 96
C. D. Raver.....	364	Philo.....Champaign	32	19	3	6 56	9 00	15 56
Christ Meyer.....	365	Quincy.....Adams	113	19	3	9 04	9 00	18 04
J. J. Kelsey.....	366	Brighton.....Macoupin	61	19	3	4 88	9 00	13 88
Iat Phebus.....	367	El Dara.....Pike	89	19	3	7 12	9 00	16 12
Myrvan A. King.....	368	Athensville.....Greene	45	19	3	3 60	9 00	12 60
E. F. Drewes.....	369	West Belleville.....St. Clair	104	19	3	8 32	9 00	17 32
C. A. Simmons.....	370	Yates City.....Knox	89	19	3	7 12	9 00	16 12
N. A. Bryan.....	371	Bardolph.....McDonough	94	19	3	7 52	9 00	16 52
John H. Clarns.....	372	Orangeville.....Stephenson	211	19	3	16 88	9 00	25 88
Joseph Hunter.....	373	Paloma.....Adams	161	19	3	12 80	9 00	21 80
Wm. J. Thompson.....	374	East St. Louis.....St. Clair	92	19	3	7 36	9 00	16 36
C. J. Skaggs.....	375	Eldorado.....Saline	170	19	3	13 00	9 00	22 00
A. Rheingans.....	376	Davis.....Stephenson	210	19	3	16 80	9 00	25 80
Geo. Defries.....	377	Minonk.....Woodford	89	19	3	7 12	9 00	16 12
I. L. Steinberg.....	378	Spring Valley.....Bureau	120	19	3	9 60	9 00	18 60
Chas. Winters.....	379	Forrest.....Livingston	100	19	3	8 00	9 00	17 00
Chas. Savio.....	380	Spring Valley.....Bureau	120	19	3	9 60	9 00	18 60
W. R. Jackson.....	381	Irvington.....Washington	106	19	3	8 48	9 00	17 48
F. D. Seiler.....	382	Martinton.....Iroquois	136	19	3	10 88	9 00	19 88
Fred J. Wendt.....	383	Woodhull.....Henry	125	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
Edward Patterson.....	384	Clay City.....Clay	116	19	3	9 20	9 00	18 20
C. Otey.....	386	Harrisburg.....Saline	178	19	3	14 24	9 00	23 24
Henry Janssen.....	389	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
G. H. Hinderer.....	390	Kankakee.....Kankakee	137	19	3	10 96	9 00	19 96
Frank W. Bovendall.....	391	Streator.....LaSalle	108	19	3	8 64	9 00	17 64
Wm. Lines.....	392	Marion.....Williamson	173	19	3	13 84	9 00	22 84
Richard Guymon.....	393	Ozark.....Johnson	113	19	3	9 04	9 00	18 04
I. M. Hammond.....	394	Dix.....Jefferson	113	19	3	9 04	9 00	18 04
Brick Smith.....	395	Sandoval.....Marion	97	19	3	7 76	9 00	16 76
D. S. Combs.....	396	Pulleys Mills.....Williamson	172	19	3	13 76	9 00	22 76
Chas. F. Schuler.....	397	Opdyke.....Jefferson	133	19	3	10 56	9 00	19 56
Geo. Vansickle.....	398	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
P. W. Gregory.....	399	Lake City.....Moultrie	58	19	3	4 64	9 00	13 64
Carl Seitzinger.....	401	Flat Rock.....Crawford	142	19	3	11 36	9 00	20 36
Frank G. Schue.....	402	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Harvey Fay.....	403	Monticello.....Piatt	63	19	3	5 04	9 00	14 04
G. E. Williamson.....	404	Waggoner.....Montgomery	21	19	3	2 48	9 00	11 48
A. L. Thompson.....	405	Makanda.....Jackson	164	19	3	12 32	9 00	21 32
Geo. Telford.....	406	Kempton.....Ford	114	19	3	9 12	9 00	18 12
Wm. F. Pohlmann.....	407	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
G. E. Teagarden.....	408	Galva.....Henry	112	19	3	8 96	9 00	17 96

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Edw. Babcock	409	Carman.....Henderson	140	19	3	11 20	9 00	20 20
J. G. Reul	411	Mendota.....LaSalle	135	19	3	9 12	9 00	18 12
J. W. Porter	412	Carthage.....Hancock	144	19	3	2 08	9 00	11 08
J. H. McClughan	413	Taylorville.....Christian	26	19	3	3 60	9 00	12 60
Chas. Reeder	414	Dalton City.....Moultrie	53	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
J. L. Wyatt	415	Murrayville.....Morgan	45	19	3	14 32	9 00	23 32
J. P. Ellicott	416	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	7 84	9 00	16 84
Roy Rushings	417	Grand Tower.....Jackson	179	19	3	5 68	9 00	14 68
G. J. Johnson	418	Paxton.....Ford	98	19	3	2 48	9 00	11 48
Walter Cox	419	Dale.....Hamilton	215	19	3	8 00	9 00	17 00
J. A. Giberson	421	Alton.....Madison	73	19	3	10 08	9 00	19 08
Gay L. Swiney	423	Greenview.....Menard	31	19	3	12 80	9 00	21 80
Robt. L. Harvey	424	Silvis.....Rock Island	165	19	3	13 04	9 00	22 04
L. N. Clemens	425	Dixon Springs.....Pope	202	19	3	8 72	9 00	17 72
Thos. Reynolds	426	Caseyville.....St. Clair	160	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
John F. Stevens	427	Nebo.....Pike	79	19	3	13 76	9 00	22 76
H. E. Makutchan	428	Princeton.....Bureau	126	19	3	7 36	9 00	16 36
Edw. F. Weimer	429	Lemont.....Cook	160	19	3	6 40	9 00	15 40
Wylie Storme	430	Herrin.....Williamson	163	19	3	4 80	9 00	13 80
W. H. Winters	431	O'Fallon.....St. Clair	109	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Fred Haensler	432	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	13 76	9 00	22 76
W. E. Hutchinson	433	Galatia.....Saline	172	19	3	7 36	9 00	16 36
H. T. Koster	434	Junction.....Gallatin	176	19	3	6 40	9 00	15 40
E. H. Campbell	435	East St. Louis.....St. Clair	92	19	3	4 80	9 00	13 80
J. H. Shelton	436	St. Elmo.....Fayette	80	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
E. T. Cline	437	New Bedford.....Bureau	109	19	3	2 08	9 00	11 08
H. A. Bride	438	Ramsey.....Fayette	60	19	3	16 72	9 00	25 72
Jas. B. Muir	439	Villa Ridge.....Pulaski	200	19	3	56	9 00	9 56
W. W. Hooper	440	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	8 72	9 00	17 72
Henry Morrow	441	Pawnee.....Sangamon	26	19	3	7 04	9 00	16 04
C. S. Dickerson	442	Metropolis.....Massac	209	19	3	6 96	9 00	15 96
J. W. Ramey	443	West Liberty.....Jasper	122	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Jos. Robinson	444	Hardin.....Calhoun	7	19	3	6 00	9 00	15 00
P. F. Swanson	445	Riverton.....Sangamon	7	19	3	1 92	9 00	10 92
O. G. Clark	446	Galesburg.....Knox	109	19	3	15 52	9 00	24 52
E. P. Edsall	447	Filson.....Douglas	88	19	3	180	9 00	180
Roy W. Kewley	448	South Englewood.....Cook	185	19	3	10 56	9 00	19 56
Philip R. Frederick	449	Grafton.....Jersey	87	19	3	6 56	9 00	15 56
Sherman Sadler	450	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	3 04	9 00	12 04
C. L. Rumyon	451	Crystal Lake.....McHenry	207	19	3	6 72	9 00	15 72
H. F. Gordon	452	Codden.....Union	171	19	3	6 72	9 00	15 72
E. B. Carver	453	Gays.....Moultrie	75	19	3	1 92	9 00	10 92
E. H. Lawrence	454	Mt. Pulaski.....Logan	24	19	3	15 52	9 00	24 52
John T. Supple	455	Berwyn.....Cook	104	19	3	180	9 00	180
Lee R. Patterson	456	Thompson.....Carroll	180	19	3	10 56	9 00	19 56
J. R. Machiels	457	Pontotoc.....Hancock	132	19	3	6 56	9 00	15 56
E. L. Hyre	458	Ripley.....Brown	82	19	3	3 04	9 00	12 04
Jasper Turnbaugh	459	Morrisonville.....Christian	38	19	3	6 72	9 00	15 72
B. F. Jennings	460	Savbrook.....McLean	84	19	3	6 72	9 00	15 72
John DeBoer	462	Pleasant Hill.....Pike	84	19	3	8 24	9 00	17 24
Paul Koratsky	463	Casner.....Macon	48	19	3	9 00	9 00	18 00
Gilbert K. Swain	464	Odell.....Livingston	103	19	3	5 68	9 00	14 68
Chas. Meckenhauser	465	Springfield.....Sangamon	71	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
W. O. Tally	466	Alton.....Madison	71	19	3	16 00	9 00	25 00
Manford Roller	467	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	7 20	9 00	16 20
Chas. Gusten	468	Grand Chain.....Pulaski	200	19	3	1 68	9 00	10 68
Aug. Opperman	469	Newman.....Douglas	90	19	3	8 56	9 00	17 56
Chas. G. Slocumb	470	Middletown.....Logan	21	19	3	13 12	9 00	22 12
	471	Piper City.....Ford	137	19	3			
	472	Omaha.....Gallatin	164	19	3			

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Merton S. VanBrunt...	473	Sidney.....Champaign	86	19	3	6 88	9 00	15 88
W. H. Motsinger.....	475	Crab Orchard...Williamson	180	...	...	...	...	...
Lewis Lessman.....	476	Raymond.....Montgomery	47	19	3	3 76	9 00	12 76
Gust Goettsche.....	477	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Geo. S. Flint.....	478	Chillicothe.....Knox	109	19	3	8 72	9 00	17 72
Knut V. Wattman.....	479	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
John H. Root.....	480	East St. Louis.....St. Clair	92	19	3	7 36	9 00	16 36
.....	481	Arenzville.....Cass	...	...	...	...	...	...
.....	482	Noble.....Richland	...	...	...	...	...	...
W. S. Ross.....	483	Heyworth.....McLean	55	19	3	4 40	9 00	13 40
Julius Berliant, Jr.....	484	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
S. E. Arnold.....	485	Moline.....Rock Island	157	19	3	12 56	9 00	21 56
M. C. Atchison.....	486	Dahlgren.....Hamilton	137	19	3	10 96	9 00	19 96
L. M. Anderson.....	487	Jewett.....Cumberland	165	...	...	...	...	...
Abraham M. Levinson.....	488	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Jas Mussen.....	489	Fithian.....Vermilion	99	19	3	7 92	9 00	16 92
E. A. Hyatt.....	491	Seneca.....LaSalle	137	19	3	10 96	9 00	19 96
Henry J. Anderson.....	492	Carpentersville.....Kane	202	19	3	16 00	9 00	25 00
Wm. F. Irvin.....	493	Brooklyn.....Schuyler	112	...	...	...	...	...
Jas. Pennell.....	494	Saline Mines.....Gallatin	182	...	...	...	...	...
Josiah Cox.....	495	Braidwood.....Will	129	19	3	10 24	9 00	19 24
A. F. Holmes.....	496	West Frankfort.....Franklin	163	19	3	12 88	9 00	21 88
J. S. Sipes.....	497	Eberle.....Effingham	96	...	...	...	...	...
A. H. Keath.....	498	Hoopeston.....Vermilion	120	19	3	9 60	9 00	18 60
Will C. Snyder.....	499	Danville.....Vermilion	112	19	3	8 96	9 00	17 96
D. E. Fritz.....	500	Altamont.....Effingham	75	19	3	6 00	9 00	15 00
W. L. Boyd.....	501	Palmer.....Christian	34	19	3	2 72	9 00	11 72
John H. Hartwell.....	502	Corinth.....Williamson	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
A. H. McMaster.....	503	Garden Prairie.....Boone	224	19	3	17 92	9 00	26 92
E. E. Copeland.....	504	Creal Springs.....Williamson	183	19	3	14 64	9 00	23 64
W. E. Hutchison.....	505	Maunie.....White	169	19	3	13 52	9 00	22 52
Arno T. Rorer.....	506	Chicago.....Cook	185	18	4	14 80	12 00	26 80
D. A. Waite.....	508	Prophetstown.....Whiteside	163	19	3	13 44	9 00	22 44
M. H. Spier.....	509	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
J. A. Warren.....	510	Paw Paw.....Lee	150	19	3	12 00	9 00	21 00
M. W. Collinson.....	511	Altona.....Knox	119	...	...	...	...	...
John Warren.....	512	Tower Hill.....Shelby	50	19	3	4 00	9 00	13 00
Martin N. Nelson.....	513	Dwight.....Livingston	111	19	3	8 88	9 00	17 88
L. C. Martner.....	514	Montgomery.....Kane	162	19	3	12 96	9 00	21 96
John Edmonds.....	515	Hurst.....Williamson	156	19	3	12 48	9 00	21 48
Jas. Fleet.....	516	Bingham.....Fayette	67	19	3	5 36	9 00	14 36
Robt. Isbell.....	517	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Swan Gustafson.....	518	Alpha.....Henry	127	19	3	10 16	9 00	19 16
John O'Neil.....	519	Coal City.....Grundy	129	19	3	10 32	9 00	19 32
Chas. Wallace.....	520	Tennessee.....McDonough	109	19	3	8 72	9 00	17 72
Morris Goldstein.....	521	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
.....	522	Woodlawn.....Jefferson	121	...	...	...	...	...
A. J. Lance.....	523	Marietta.....Fulton	81	...	...	...	...	...
John P. Worley.....	524	Strasburg.....Shelby	76	19	3	6 08	9 00	15 08
F. D. Roberson.....	525	Blairsville.....Williamson	160	19	3	12 80	9 00	21 80
C. A. Wray.....	526	Alexis.....Warren	133	19	3	10 64	9 00	19 64
A. S. Fleeman.....	527	Ewing.....Franklin	140	19	3	11 20	9 00	20 20
Jas. M. Francis.....	528	Goreville.....Johnson	175	19	3	14 00	9 00	23 00
E. J. Barber.....	529	Mahomet.....Champaign	80	19	3	6 40	9 00	15 40
Dormant.....	530	Carbon Hill.....Grundy	...	...	...	...	...	...
W. Waters.....	531	Cicero.....Cook	193	19	3	15 44	9 00	24 44
Wm. Zwicker.....	532	Sherrard.....Mercer	160	19	3	13 52	9 00	22 52
John Beasley.....	534	Virden.....Macoupin	22	...	...	...	...	...
D. A. Johnston.....	535	Marble Head.....Adams	106	19	3	8 48	9 00	17 48

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W. B. Collister.....	536	Hollowayville.....Burdea	118	19	3	8 45	9 00	17 48
W. I. Ashby.....	537	Roseville.....Warren	106	19	3	8 45	9 00	17 48
Wm. Gramm.....	539	Catlin.....Vermilion	122	19	3	9 76	9 00	18 76
Joseph Henry Debus.....	540	New Baden.....Clinton	185	18	4	14 80	12 00	26 80
B. M. Riley.....	541	Chicago.....Cook	106	19	3	8 45	9 00	17 48
Walter Swanson.....	542	Chrisman.....Edgar	83	19	3	6 48	9 00	15 64
R. S. Kenney.....	543	Gibson City.....Ford	16	19	3	1 28	9 00	10 28
Nels Martens.....	544	Auburn.....Sangamon	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
C. F. Ammerman.....	545	Chicago.....Cook	94	19	3	7 20	9 00	16 20
Max Beschorner.....	546	Oakland.....Coles	60	19	3	7 20	9 00	16 20
W. F. Alberts.....	548	Washburn.....Woodford	84	19	3	7 20	9 00	16 20
Steven Watson.....	549	Cowden.....Shelby	84	19	3	7 20	9 00	16 20
Claud Gibbons.....	550	Champaign.....Champaign	9	19	3	72	9 00	9 72
Chas. Hall.....	551	Barclay.....Sangamon	184	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
O. F. Steward.....	552	Mitchellsville.....Saline	102	19	3	8 16	9 00	17 16
J. A. Peterson.....	553	Sciota.....McDonough	99	19	3	7 92	9 00	16 92
Daniel DuRussell.....	554	Castleton.....Stark	134	19	3	10 72	9 00	19 72
D. W. Dillman.....	555	Stronghurst.....Henderson	119	19	3	9 52	9 00	18 52
Harvey E. Gall.....	556	Trenton.....Clinton	162	19	3	8 16	9 00	17 16
I. N. Jones.....	557	Louisville.....Clay	36	19	3	2 88	9 00	11 88
C. L. Ricketts.....	558	Kenney.....DeWitt	142	19	3	11 36	9 00	20 36
Leander Sharer.....	559	Wayne City.....Wayne	82	19	3	7 20	9 00	16 20
Wm. Minch.....	560	Pesotum.....Champaign	120	19	3	10 40	9 00	19 40
Henry A. Zellar, Jr.....	561	Neponset.....Bureau	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Benj. H. Sanders.....	562	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
F. A. Davidson.....	563	Chicago.....Cook	118	19	3	9 44	9 00	18 44
Jas. M. Shaw.....	564	Vermilion.....Edgar	109	19	3	8 72	9 00	17 72
Geo. S. Smith.....	565	Oakwood.....Vermilion	109	19	3	8 72	9 00	17 72
N. F. Diesel.....	566	Rankin.....Vermilion	206	19	3	16 48	9 00	25 48
D. A. Delap.....	567	Dakota.....Stephenson	112	19	3	8 96	9 00	17 96
E. F. Long.....	568	Milstadt.....St. Clair	157	19	3	12 56	9 00	21 56
T. F. Hileman.....	569	Norris City.....White	85	19	3	7 20	9 00	16 20
Oler Langley.....	570	Bellevue.....Calhoun	78	19	3	6 24	9 00	15 24
J. W. Harris.....	571	Arrowsmith.....McLean	88	19	3	7 04	9 00	16 04
Alfred Cram.....	572	Hindsboro.....Douglas	101	19	3	8 08	9 00	17 08
P. N. Mason.....	573	Whitefield.....Bureau	198	19	3	15 84	9 00	24 84
W. J. Hall.....	574	Shannon.....Carroll	113	19	3	9 04	9 00	18 04
J. H. Brown.....	575	Buda.....Bureau	70	19	3	5 60	9 00	14 60
W. S. Ribley.....	576	Windsor.....Shelby	118	19	3	9 44	9 00	18 44
John R. Weir.....	577	Monmouth.....Warren	116	19	3	9 44	9 00	18 44
W. T. Hudgens.....	578	Grand Ridge.....LaSalle	102	19	3	8 24	9 00	17 24
L. H. Aften.....	579	Bradford.....Stark	119	19	3	9 52	9 00	18 52
A. E. Lundeen.....	580	Ashkum.....Iroquois	181	19	3	14 48	9 00	23 48
Chas. E. Burgeson.....	581	Lick Creek.....Union	155	19	3	12 56	9 00	21 56
Frank Hale.....	582	Thompsonville.....Franklin	137	19	3	11 12	9 00	20 12
Elwood Priest.....	583	Moline.....Rock Island	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
J. C. F. Meyer.....	584	Chicago.....Cook	139	19	3	11 12	9 00	20 12
Ewald J. Dittman.....	585	Hermion.....Knox	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
W. O. Smothers.....	586	Iroquois.....Iroquois	121	19	3	9 68	9 00	18 68
Geo. J. Davis.....	587	Chicago.....Cook	77	19	3	6 16	9 00	15 16
C. L. Kilgore.....	588	New Athens.....St. Clair	154	19	3	12 32	9 00	21 32
E. T. Bussong.....	589	Mansfield.....Platt	130	19	3	10 40	9 00	19 40
M. W. Munch.....	590	Rock Falls.....Whiteside	100	19	3	8 00	9 00	17 00
Chas. Atterbury.....	591	Biggsville.....Henderson	61	19	3	4 88	9 00	13 88
T. B. Ruyle.....	592	St. Jacob.....Madison	42	19	3	3 52	9 00	12 52
F. H. McMullen.....	593	Lovington.....Moultrie	58	19	3	4 64	9 00	13 64
	594	Blue Mound.....Macon	74	19	3	5 92	9 00	14 92
	595	Kemper.....Jersey						
	597	Seymour.....Champaign						

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H. J. Kunkle.....	598	Wataga.....Knox	117	19	3	9 36	9 00	18 36
J. R. Simer.....	599	Cisco.....Piatt	55	19	3	4 40	9 00	13 40
Chas. Robinson.....	600	Warrensburg.....Macon	47	19	3	3 76	9 00	12 76
C. R. Adkins.....	601	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Geo. Turner.....	602	Streator.....LaSalle	108	19	3	8 64	9 00	17 64
Fred Henricks.....	603	Papineau.....Iroquois	140	19	3	11 20	9 00	20 20
Geo. W. Carr.....	604	Timothy.....Cumberland	74	19	3	6 32	9 00	15 32
J. W. Rowley.....	605	Cook's Mills.....Coles	74	19	3	6 32	9 00	15 32
E. W. Tascher.....	607	Crescent City.....Iroquois	119	19	3	9 52	9 00	18 52
Thos. McLean.....	608	Rock Island.....Rock Island	155	19	3	12 40	9 00	21 40
J. H. Drum.....	609	Charleston.....Coles	91	19	3	7 28	9 00	16 28
Will Fern.....	611	Tunnel Hill.....Johnson	181	19	3	14 48	9 00	23 48
.....	612	Herscher.....Kankakee	125	19	3	10 40	9 00	19 40
F. L. Clapp.....	614	Grandview.....Edgar	107	19	3	8 56	9 00	17 56
John L. Regan.....	615	Eddyville.....Pope	193	19	3	15 44	9 00	24 44
W. P. Moore.....	616	Terre Haute.....Henderson	109	19	3	9 12	9 00	18 12
J. G. Presgrove.....	617	Samoth.....Massac	199	19	3	15 92	9 00	24 92
N. Lindquist.....	618	Cornell.....Livingston	163	19	3	8 24	9 00	17 24
Harry K. Beard.....	619	Elgin.....Kane	194	19	3	15 52	9 00	24 52
A. L. Yoe.....	620	Tioga.....Hancock	125	19	3	10 80	9 00	19 80
G. B. Willis.....	621	Unionville.....Massac	234	19	3	19 52	9 00	28 52
.....	622	Marissa.....St. Clair	120	19	3	10 24	9 00	19 24
A. B. Ewing.....	623	Hunt City.....Jasper	122	19	3	9 76	9 00	18 76
E. H. Young.....	624	Port Byron.....Rock Island	167	19	3	13 36	9 00	22 36
W. T. Edmondson.....	625	New Burnside.....Johnson	179	19	3	14 72	9 00	23 72
Oscar Williams.....	626	Chicago Heights.....Cook	179	19	3	13 60	9 00	22 60
Henry Kramer.....	627	Ohio.....Bureau	154	19	3	12 32	9 00	21 32
Wm. Sults.....	628	North Henderson.....Mercer	125	19	3	10 40	9 00	19 40
Paul R. Olmsted.....	629	Victoria.....Knox	126	19	3	10 48	9 00	19 48
Frank Fuck.....	630	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
J. D. Williams.....	631	Edinburg.....Christian	17	19	3	1 36	9 00	10 36
Jas. Lucas.....	632	Grape Creek.....Vermilion	119	19	3	9 52	9 00	18 52
A. L. Sinclair.....	633	Kansas.....Edgar	106	19	3	8 48	9 00	17 48
W. J. Scott.....	634	Farina.....Fayette	95	19	3	7 60	9 00	16 60
G. A. Drummond.....	635	Metcalf.....Edgar	100	19	3	8 00	9 00	17 00
Lafe Jenkins.....	636	Humbolt.....Coles	83	19	3	6 64	9 00	15 64
Ben D. Wilde.....	637	Cable.....Mercer	170	19	3	14 24	9 00	23 24
S. S. Tanner.....	638	Minier.....Tazewell	54	19	3	4 32	9 00	13 32
Jas. Jeffries.....	639	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Henry Knoop.....	640	Wilton Center.....Will	145	19	3	11 60	9 00	20 60
James F. Spriver.....	641	Loraine.....Adams	134	19	3	10 72	9 00	19 72
.....	642	Burton.....Adams	114	19	3	9 28	9 00	18 28
Sam Bass.....	643	Elco.....Alexander	200	19	3	16 00	9 00	25 00
Heber Briscoe.....	644	Westfield.....Clark	114	19	3	9 12	9 00	18 12
Anton A. Berg.....	645	Austin.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Chas. F. McKown.....	647	Athens.....Menard	14	19	3	1 12	9 00	10 12
Paul Kraft.....	648	Gilman.....Iroquois	112	19	3	8 96	9 00	17 96
Tom Jenkinson.....	649	Woodlawn.....Iroquois	103	19	3	8 24	9 00	17 24
Raymond J. Clark.....	650	Belleville.....St. Clair	104	19	3	8 32	9 00	17 32
J. L. Brooks.....	651	Falmouth.....Jasp-r	116	19	3	9 28	9 00	18 28
F. E. Stevenson.....	652	Heathsville.....Crawford	148	19	3	11 84	9 00	20 84
Edwin C. Warren.....	653	LaHarpe.....Hancock	114	19	3	9 12	9 00	18 12
Monroe Rickard.....	655	Jeffersonville.....Wayne	124	19	3	9 92	9 00	18 92
John Tidwell.....	656	Sorento.....Bond	57	19	3	4 56	9 00	13 56
Chas. G. Reed.....	657	LaFayette.....Stark	106	19	3	8 40	9 00	17 40
Theo. V. Hansen.....	658	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
J. M. Jordan.....	659	Bellflower.....McLean	73	19	3	5 84	9 00	14 84
Louis Fehland.....	660	Meoien..llW.....	159	19	3	12 72	9 00	21 72

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Wm. Walker	661	WestvilleVermilion	121	19	3			
A. W. Yowell	662	Highland Park.....Lake	209	19	3	16 72	9 00	25 72
O. G. Hayes	663	Kell .....Marion	115	19	3	9 20	9 00	18 20
Ornell A. Cummings	664	Paris .....Edgar	111	19	3	8 88	9 00	17 88
Victor Wallner	665	Chicago .....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
M. P. Sherman	666	Chicago Lawn.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
R. M. Breaw	667	Forreston .....Ogle	178	19	3	14 24	9 00	23 24
B. H. Reichelderfer	668	E. Peoria.....Tazewell	66	19	3	5 28	9 00	14 28
Ciphar Hering	670	Good Hope...McDonough	97	19	3	7 76	9 00	16 76
Wm. Weger	671	Findlay .....Shelby	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Matt Wright	672	Ava .....Jackson	163	19	3	13 04	9 00	22 04
Rev. O. F. Jordau	673	Evanston .....Cook	197	19	3	15 76	9 00	24 76
J. Edgar Atkins	674	Ferris .....Hancock	119	19	3	9 52	9 00	18 52
N. F. Akers	675	Kirkwood .....Warren	124	19	3	9 92	9 00	18 92
Wm. R. Harrell	676	Alto Pass.....Union	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
C. W. Hulva	677	Stanford .....McLean	60	19	3	4 80	9 00	13 80
L. D. Harrington	678	Ridge Farm...Vermilion	111	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wm. Mellish, Sr.	679	Braceville .....Grundy	124	19	3	9 92	9 00	18 92
Fred Schoenberg	680	Breese .....Clinton	119	19	3	8 80	9 00	17 80
W. B. Strang	681	Roodhouse .....Greene	55	18	4	4 40	12 00	16 40
.....	682	Basco .....Hancock	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
S. N. Haverfield	683	Assumption ....Christian	52	10	3	4 16	9 00	13 16
E. O. Ridenour	684	Colona .....Henry	145	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
D. M. Miller	685	Staunton .....Macoupin	57	19	3	4 56	9 00	13 56
J. Roy Lough	686	Orion .....Henry	135	19	3	10 80	9 00	19 80
Wm. Barner	688	Cullom .....Livingston	111	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
John Arnquist	689	Rockford .....Winnebago	227	19	3	18 16	9 00	27 16
Ira Haverstock	690	Beecher City...Effingham	66	19	3	5 28	9 00	14 28
Il. M. Gossett	692	Hutton .....Coles	99	19	3	7 92	9 00	16 92
Willis Melville	693	Brookfield .....Cook	185	18	4	15 60	12 00	27 60
Van D. Brown	694	Iuka .....Marion	116	19	3	9 28	9 00	18 28
C. L. Driskell	695	Broughton .....Hamilton	159	19	3	12 72	9 00	21 72
Il. T. Hosford	697	Hamilton .....Hancock	126	19	3	10 08	9 00	19 08
Herman Herson	698	Chicago .....Cook	185	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
J. A. Evenson	699	Chicago .....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
W. H. Clough	700	Forsyth .....Macon	42	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Il. A. Bruno	702	Bluffs .....Scott	52	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Walter Hadfield	703	Cartersville ..Williamson	163	19	3	13 04	9 00	22 04
F. C. Stevenson	704	Fisher .....Champaign	81	19	3	6 48	9 00	15 48
.....	706	Harvel .....Montgomery	44	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Henry J. Troeger	707	Mt. Olive.....Macoupin	51	19	3	4 08	9 00	13 08
Chas. Troeflich	708	Palatine .....Cook	211	19	3	16 88	9 00	25 88
J. M. Holderby	709	Owaneco .....Christian	24	19	3	2 72	9 00	11 72
W. E. Shaw	710	Walnut Hill.....Marion	107	19	3	8 56	9 00	17 56
John Wilkson	711	Woodson .....Morgan	42	19	3	3 36	9 00	12 36
C. L. Beals	712	Johnstown ..Cumberland	95	19	3	7 60	9 00	16 60
John W. Graham	713	Dolson .....Clarke	127	19	3	10 16	9 00	19 16
Ed. Alters	714	Colchester ..McDonough	107	19	3	8 56	9 00	17 56
R. W. Greenley	715	Colfax .....McLean	84	18	3	6 72	9 00	15 72
Anthony Budzensky	716	Chicago .....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Theodore A. Felt	717	Chicago .....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
J. Paul Kuhn	718	Batavia .....Kane	172	19	3	14 00	9 00	23 00
O. M. Hanskin	719	Venice .....Madison	90	19	3	7 20	9 00	16 20
Conn Heiser	720	Argenta .....Macon	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Henry W. Cooper	721	Essex .....Kankakee	127	19	3	10 16	9 00	19 16
Robert Clark	722	Chicago .....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
J. R. Cribb	723	Antioch .....Lake	210	19	3	19 20	9 00	28 20
John W. Rea	724	Litchfield ..Montgomery	45	19	3	3 44	9 00	12 44
Rex James	725	HumeEdgar	96	19	3	7 68	9 00	16 68

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John H. Cashmeyer.....	726	Table Grove..... Fulton	75	19	3	6 00	9 00	15 00
R. L. Conlee.....	727	Modesto..... Macoupin	31	19	3	12 48	9 00	11 48
H. M. Smith.....	728	Saunemin..... Livingston	110	19	3	8 80	9 00	17 80
C. O. Kennard.....	729	Belmont..... Wabash	154	..	..	..	..	..
E. W. Dickson.....	730	Hampshire..... Kane	236	19	3	18 88	9 00	27 88
Melvin Parks.....	731	Stonefort..... Saline	182	19	3	14 64	9 00	23 64
H. H. Hillis.....	732	Friendsville..... Wabash	171	19	3	13 68	9 00	22 68
.....	733	Sibley..... Ford	..	..	..	..	..	..
W. Pitt Shreves.....	734	London Mills..... Fulton	90	..	..	..	..	..
Geo. W. Bantz.....	735	Bethalto..... Madison	73	..	..	..	..	..
J. G. Estes.....	736	Somerset..... Saline	188	..	..	..	..	..
.....	737	Brownstown..... Fayette	..	..	..	..	..	..
R. S. Sharp.....	738	Worden..... Madison	63	..	..	..	..	..
.....	739	Coltson..... Vermilion	..	..	..	..	..	..
W. E. Leischner.....	740	DeLand..... Piatt	61	19	3	4 88	9 00	13 88
Frank R. Hagi.....	741	Ransom..... LaSalle	118	19	3	9 44	9 00	18 44
G. L. Smith.....	742	Arthur..... Douglas	69	19	3	5 52	9 00	14 52
Chas. Renaker.....	743	Huntsville..... Schuyler	102	19	3	8 24	9 00	17 24
W. I. Southworth.....	744	Rose Hill..... Jasper	..	..	..	..	..	..
E. A. Green.....	745	Sims..... Wayne	39	9	3	11 12	9 00	20 12
John Ewing.....	746	McLean..... McLean	44	..	..	..	..	..
C. V. Abraham.....	747	Casey..... Clark	113	19	3	9 04	9 00	18 04
D. R. Brown.....	748	Crossville..... White	167	19	3	13 36	9 00	22 36
A. Mayfield.....	749	Bethany..... Moultrie	58	19	3	4 64	9 00	13 64
Geo. T. Schindler.....	750	Downer's Grove..... DuPage	188	19	3	15 04	9 00	24 04
Walter J. Johnson.....	751	Chicago..... Cook	185	..	..	..	..	..
F. R. Snively.....	752	Cuba..... Fulton	61	19	3	5 52	9 00	14 52
O. T. Brandon.....	753	Hettick..... Macoupin	42	19	3	3 36	9 00	12 36
S. C. Perisho.....	754	Vevay Park..... Cumberland	110	..	..	..	..	..
.....	755	Broadlands..... Champaign	..	..	..	..	..	..
John Miller.....	756	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
R. T. Piper.....	757	Kinderhook..... Pike	89	..	..	..	..	..
Homer E. Henderson.....	758	Browns..... Edwards	110	19	3	12 00	9 00	21 00
.....	759	Plainville..... Adams	..	..	..	..	..	..
Isaac Vanvleet.....	761	Atwood..... Piatt	55	19	3	5 20	9 00	14 20
Frank Messman.....	763	Rock Grove..... Stephenson	213	19	3	17 04	9 00	26 04
.....	764	Montrose..... Effingham	..	..	..	..	..	..
.....	765	Berwich..... Warren	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ed. Hurd.....	766	Hegewisch..... Cook	155	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
H. W. Eastman.....	767	Hebron..... McHenry	238	19	3	19 04	9 00	28 04
A. B. Brown.....	768	Genoa..... DeKalb	207	19	3	16 56	9 00	25 56
Chas. Ackman, Jr.....	769	Union..... McHenry	204	..	..	..	..	..
Alonzo Dunkel.....	770	Pleasant Plains..... Sangamon	16	..	..	..	..	..
Grant Butterfield.....	771	Momence..... Kankakee	147	..	..	..	..	..
D. A. Slackard.....	772	Grantsburg..... Johnson	192	..	..	..	..	..
Ben Forsythe.....	773	West Union..... Clark	143	..	..	..	..	..
W. I. Southworth.....	774	Allerton..... Vermilion	95	19	3	7 60	9 00	16 60
H. B. Stevenson.....	776	Capron..... Boone	230	19	3	18 88	9 00	27 88
W. C. Hogue.....	777	Anchor..... McLean	84	..	..	..	..	..
Frank Claus.....	778	Atlas..... Pike	89	19	3	7 12	9 00	16 12
Fred Ehring.....	779	Williamsfield..... Knox	98	19	3	7 84	9 00	16 84
John B. Williams.....	780	Seaton..... Mercer	136	19	3	10 88	9 00	19 88
.....	781	Vergennes..... Jackson	..	..	..	..	..	..
Anton Dick.....	782	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
M. D. Barnard.....	783	Normal..... McLean	61	19	3	4 88	9 00	13 88
Theo G. Wachter.....	784	Rose Bud..... Pope	216	19	3	17 28	9 00	26 28
H. C. Fritch.....	785	Wellington..... Iroquois	127	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
A. R. Boydston.....	786	Cameron..... Warren	11	1	00	3 11	5 8	61 811
Clifford J. Van Horn.....	787	LaPlace..... Piatt	..	..	..	..	..	..

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W. R. Lafferty.....	788	Boyd.....Jefferson	113	19	2	15 76	9 00	24 76
John Sheets.....	789	Pulaski.....Pulaski	197	19	2	10 08	9 00	19 08
J. E. Matheny.....	790	Yale.....Jasper	126	19	3	6 80	9 00	15 80
Ed. Roberts.....	791	Fairland.....Douglas	83	19	3	8 00	9 00	17 00
Wm. H. Fisher.....	792	Ashmore.....Coles	100	19	3	17 68	9 00	26 68
R. H. T. Nesbitt.....	793	Waukegan.....Lake	221	19	3	6 72	9 00	15 72
Allan B. Howerdine.....	794	Dewey.....Champaign	84	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
Hugh Ary.....	795	Secor.....Woodford	83	19	3	9 00	9 00	18 00
Reason Atkins.....	796	Cheneyville.....Vermillion	125	19	3	18 16	9 00	27 16
Ernest R. Brewer.....	798	Pomona.....Jackson	171	19	3	15 44	9 00	24 44
C. R. Fagerburg.....	799	Rockford.....Winnebago	227	19	3	9 00	9 00	18 00
R. H. Muir.....	800	Cicero.....Cook	153	19	3	10 08	9 00	19 08
Frank Diehl.....	801	Clarksburg.....Shelby	126	19	3	5 68	9 00	14 68
Martin Bolt.....	803	Ladd.....Bureau	71	19	3	8 80	9 00	17 80
John L. Lowman.....	805	Parkville.....Champaign	110	19	3	9 12	9 00	18 12
Wm. W. Williams.....	806	Bureau.....Bureau	114	19	3	9 68	9 00	18 68
H. L. King.....	807	Bogota.....Jasper	121	19	3	5 92	9 00	14 92
Bertie L. Stone.....	808	Sheffield.....Bureau	74	18	3	6 80	9 00	15 80
C. E. Young.....	809	Ellsworth.....McLean	85	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
J. A. Gieckler.....	810	Fish Hook.....Pike	85	19	3	12 24	9 00	21 24
Andrew G. Anderson.....	812	Chicago.....Cook	103	19	3	8 24	9 00	17 24
Scott Wallingford.....	813	Youngstown.....Warren	155	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
W. T. Eckelbarger.....	814	Lawrenceville.....Lawrence	103	19	3	16 00	9 00	25 00
John P. Johnson.....	816	Thawville.....Iroquois	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
H. W. Beebe.....	817	West Pullman.....Cook	84	19	3	6 72	9 00	15 72
A. W. Cornwell.....	819	Gridley.....McLean	144	19	3	11 52	9 00	20 52
N. Broulett.....	820	St. Anne.....Kankakee	190	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Edw. Dutton.....	821	Rock Creek.....Hardin	200	19	3	16 00	9 00	25 00
Isaac Golden.....	822	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
D. L. Storey.....	823	Yantisville.....Shelby	141	19	3	11 28	9 00	20 28
E. R. Edwards.....	824	Cave-in-Rock.....Hardin	151	19	3	12 08	9 00	21 08
Scott C. Dyer.....	825	Chicago.....Cook	35	19	3	2 80	9 00	11 80
P. M. Waldorf.....	826	Palestine.....Crawford	190	19	3	15 20	9 00	24 20
C. A. Irwin.....	827	Percy.....Randolph	113	19	3	5 36	9 00	14 36
T. W. Hooper.....	828	Stonington.....Christian	182	19	3	14 56	9 00	23 56
Chas. B. Spring.....	829	Lindenwood.....Ogle	156	19	3	12 48	9 00	21 48
Willis Eaton.....	830	Elkville.....Jackson	201	19	3	16 08	9 00	25 08
Frank Sebeck.....	831	Chicago.....Cook	152	19	3	12 16	9 00	21 16
Louis Covey.....	832	Poplar Grove.....Boone	79	19	3	6 32	9 00	15 32
Wm. Greenfield.....	833	Cooksville.....McLean	171	19	3	13 68	9 00	22 68
F. W. Dunston.....	834	Baylis.....Pike	120	19	3	9 60	9 00	18 60
Isaac Cravens.....	835	Mill Shoals.....White	117	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Fred Windle.....	836	St. Francisville.....Lawrence	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
S. H. Kieffer.....	837	Towanda.....McLean	140	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
Earl E. Hibbard.....	838	Shawneetown.....Gallatin	87	19	3	6 96	9 00	15 96
H. G. Carter.....	839	Yorkville.....Kendall	166	19	3	8 48	9 00	17 48
C. H. Kurtz.....	840	Cypress.....Johnson	124	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
Robt. E. Brown.....	841	Peotone.....Will	125	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
Wilson Davis.....	842	Foosland.....Champaign	110	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
D. T. Genthrie.....	843	Ridgway.....Gallatin	106	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
Jonas Hastings.....	844	West Point.....Hancock	117	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
Chas. O. Friedland.....	846	Ingraham.....Clay	110	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
T. C. Gustafson.....	847	Chicago.....Cook	110	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
Joseph Brown.....	848	Viola.....Mercer	125	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
Albert Lyons.....	850	Oblong.....Crawford	87	19	3	6 96	9 00	15 96
W. H. Barnett.....	852	Granite City.....Madison	166	19	3	8 48	9 00	17 48
Henry Feller.....	853	Armstrong.....Vermilion	124	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
.....	855	Enterprise.....Wayne	217	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00
.....	856	Barrington.....Cook	217	19	3	10 00	9 00	19 00

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A. J. Abrams.....	857	Hudson..... McLean	155	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Robt. J. Taylor.....	858	Chicago..... Cook	119	19	3	7 04	9 00	16 04
C. E. Stine.....	859	Cisne..... Wayne	88	19	3	11 12	9 00	20 12
Joseph Yardley.....	860	Patoka..... Marion	126	19	3	9 60	9 00	18 60
T. C. Tutwiler.....	861	Rardin..... Coles	57	19	3	8 00	9 00	17 00
L. B. Dawkins.....	862	Bradley..... Kankakee	100	19	3	4 00	9 00	13 00
J. R. Case.....	863	Johnsonville..... Wayne	190	19	3	8 00	9 00	17 00
C. R. Baxter.....	864	Bowen..... Hancock	50	19	3	12 16	9 00	21 16
Ray L. Demitt.....	865	Hopedale..... Tazewell	132	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
A. F. Kile.....	866	Odin..... Marion	172	19	3	13 76	9 00	22 76
Chas. L. Westerberg.....	867	Grant Park..... Kankakee	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Geo. Mackay, Jr.....	868	Chicago..... Cook	153	19	3	12 24	9 00	21 24
Raymond H. Held.....	870	Aurora..... Kane	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Elmer F. Sueske.....	871	Chicago..... Cook	106	19	3	8 48	9 00	17 48
Norman A. Joy.....	873	Steeleville..... Randolph	128	19	3	10 24	9 00	19 24
Wm. F. Davis.....	874	Carrier Mills..... Saline	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
T. J. Day.....	876	Alma..... Marion	106	19	3	8 48	9 00	17 48
O. W. Bray.....	877	Mendon..... Adams	128	19	3	10 24	9 00	19 24
Jos. Knudson.....	878	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
John L. Gun.....	879	Keyesport..... Clinton	84	19	3	6 72	9 00	15 72
Ernest Daehn.....	880	Huntley..... McHenry	210	19	3	13 28	9 00	22 28
L. W. Keiger.....	881	New Berlin..... Sangamon	15	19	3	8 40	9 00	17 40
C. M. Augustine.....	883	Detroit..... Pike	71	19	3	5 68	9 00	14 68
J. R. Neal.....	884	Willow Hill..... Jasper	118	19	3	9 44	9 00	18 44
David P. Smith, Sr.....	885	Dawson..... Sangamon	11	19	3	58	9 00	9 58
H. H. Cowger.....	886	Hidalgo..... Jasper	109	19	3	8 72	9 00	17 72
J. W. White.....	887	Mt. Erie..... Wayne	131	19	3	8 40	9 00	17 40
Jno. Kratz.....	888	Plymouth..... Hancock	105	19	3	6 24	9 00	15 24
John A. Jacobs.....	889	Glen Carbon..... Madison	78	19	3	13 28	9 00	22 28
Paul Harris.....	891	Wauconda..... Lake	221	19	3	8 24	9 00	17 24
W. J. Schlitz.....	892	Wilmette..... Cook	199	19	3	11 28	9 00	20 28
A. J. Potter.....	893	Bismarck..... Vermillion	222	19	3	8 96	9 00	17 96
Wm. Blair.....	894	Cropsey..... McLean	88	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Wm. M. Schuwerk.....	895	Evansville..... Randolph	161	19	3	10 40	9 00	19 40
H. L. Dysart.....	896	Granville..... Putnam	114	19	3	5 84	9 00	14 84
Lewis M. King.....	898	Vulberry Grove..... Bond	53	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
John Garrison.....	899	Gila..... Jasper	163	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Wade Huggins.....	900	Keenville..... Wayne	141	19	3	1 84	9 00	10 84
H. C. Mitchell.....	901	Loami..... Sangamon	14	19	3	9 12	9 00	18 12
Robt. Silverman.....	902	Horace..... Edgar	112	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
C. E. Allen.....	903	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	10 40	9 00	19 40
Dixie Shaw.....	904	Bonnie..... Jefferson	130	19	3	5 84	9 00	14 84
D. A. Howard.....	905	Stewardson..... Shelby	73	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
P. J. Anderson.....	906	Glasford..... Peoria	65	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Louis Levy.....	908	Chicago..... Cook	155	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Thos. Booten.....	909	Chicago..... Cook	155	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
R. C. Aller.....	910	Eagle..... Saline	188	19	3	1 84	9 00	10 84
M. N. Briger.....	911	Russellville..... Lawrence	153	19	3	9 12	9 00	18 12
John M. Kinkade.....	912	Illipolis..... Sangamon	23	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
G. C. Garrett.....	913	Industry..... McDonough	114	19	3	7 52	9 00	16 52
Christian G. Haebick.....	914	Stockland..... Iroquois	155	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
E. M. Solomon.....	915	Bruce..... Moultrie	71	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
John W. Whited.....	916	Chicago..... Cook	185	19	3	7 52	9 00	16 52
R. A. Moody.....	917	Chicago..... Cook	155	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
W. W. James.....	918	Ranatec..... Knox	94	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
	919	Saline Valley..... Saline	153	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
	921	Smithshire..... Warren	118	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80

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Wm. Cown	922	Weldon.....DeWitt	56	19	3	4 48	9 00	13 48
Peter Clauser.....	923	Westervelt.....Shelby	56	19	3	4 48	9 00	13 48
I. B. Rodrick.....	925	Chauncy.....Lawrence	154	19	3	12 32	9 00	21 32
G. A. McCluer.....	926	Denver.....Hancock	105	19	3	8 40	9 00	17 40
H. A. Downer.....	927	Villa Grove.....Douglas	52	19	3	6 56	9 00	15 56
J. J. Fjord.....	928	Camargo.....Douglas	18	..	..	..	..	..
Frank Resar.....	929	Reddick.....Kankakee	121	..	..	..	..	..
B. B. Thackston.....	931	Coulterville.....Randolph	138	19	3	11 04	9 00	20 04
Geo. Stuckey.....	932	Herod.....Pope	195	..	..	..	..	..
J. Walter Scott.....	933	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Lee Storine.....	934	East Moline.....Rock Island	161	19	3	12 88	9 00	21 88
W. H. Parks.....	935	Reeves.....Williamson	168	19	3	13 44	9 00	22 44
H. E. Sours.....	936	Brownfield.....Pope	222	..	..	..	..	..
H. G. Carlock.....	937	Lerna.....Coles	87	19	3	6 96	9 00	15 96
Ira P. Putnam.....	938	Carlock.....McLean	68	..	..	..	..	..
Irving W. Gay.....	939	Keensburg.....Wabash	170	..	..	..	..	..
Guy McCormack.....	940	Wolf Lake.....Union	..	..	..	..	..	..
W. John Fowler.....	941	Rockport.....Pike	56	..	..	..	..	..
Wm. Alexander.....	942	Dorrisville.....Saline	1,5	..	..	..	..	..
Jas. G. Baker.....	943	Witt.....Montgomery	54	..	..	..	..	..
B. S. Jolley.....	944	Dorchester.....Macoupin	52	19	3	4 16	9 00	13 16
Clarence Dalton.....	945	Waltonville.....Jefferson	127	..	..	..	..	..
Joseph R. Zamboli.....	946	Sesser.....Franklin	136	19	3	10 88	9 00	19 88
M. L. Kennedy.....	947	Nortonville.....Morgan	32	19	3	2 56	9 00	11 56
Bert L. Gillian.....	948	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Ernest Lambert.....	949	Mounds.....Pulaski	204	19	3	16 32	9 00	25 32
A. J. Mitchell.....	952	Richview.....Washington	111	19	3	8 88	9 00	17 88
Frank Faught.....	953	Christopher.....Franklin	143	19	3	11 44	9 00	20 44
Henry F. Segert.....	954	Adeline.....Ogle	184	19	3	14 72	9 00	23 72
Ross Disuens.....	955	Annapolis.....Crawford	148	19	3	11 84	9 00	20 84
A. J. Rose.....	956	Libertyville.....Lake	216	19	3	17 28	9 00	26 28
Arthur Lee.....	957	Kampsville.....Calhoun	73	19	3	5 84	9 00	14 84
J. D. McLain.....	958	Hord.....Clay	95	19	3	7 44	9 00	16 44
W. G. Jordan.....	959	Edgewood.....Effingham	87	19	3	6 96	9 00	15 96
Percy M. Crabs.....	961	Donovan.....Iroquois	137	..	..	..	..	..
Geo. A. Miller.....	962	Mercedosia.....Morgan	58	19	3	4 64	9 00	13 64
Henry Snyder.....	963	Thebes.....Alexander	214	..	..	..	..	..
Owen Highsmith.....	964	Reynolds.....Rock Island	173	..	..	..	..	..
Josiah Hill.....	965	Augusta.....Hancock	163	19	3	8 00	9 00	17 00
Roy Arnold.....	966	Danville.....Vermilion	112	19	3	8 96	9 00	17 96
Wm. F. Irvin.....	967	Hardinville.....Crawford	144	19	3	11 52	9 00	20 52
C. O. Peterson.....	969	Tilden.....Randolph	141	..	..	..	..	..
W. C. Stearns.....	970	Big Neck.....Adams	99	19	3	7 92	9 00	16 92
Orville Connor.....	971	Finnt.....Fulton	74	..	..	..	..	..
Joe McConnell.....	972	Eaton.....Crawford	140	..	..	..	..	..
Frank Hart.....	973	Fairmount.....Vermilion	99	19	3	7 92	9 00	16 92
D. W. Rotramel.....	974	Adair.....McDonough	80	..	..	..	..	..
M. J. Hensell.....	975	Leamington.....Gallatin	184	..	..	..	..	..
M. W. Jordan.....	976	Bentl.....Macoupin	58	..	..	..	..	..
Alfred Elam.....	977	Ashton.....Lee	170	19	3	13 60	9 00	22 60
Isaac R. Combes.....	978	Paxton.....Ford	68	19	3	7 84	9 00	16 84
Eugene Raughter.....	979	Walnut.....Bureau	149	19	3	11 20	9 00	20 20
J. M. Bass.....	980	Union Church.....Fayette	72	..	..	..	..	..
Albert Slater.....	981	Woburn.....Bond	74	19	3	5 92	9 00	14 92
	982	Plainview.....Macoupin	50	..	..	..	..	..
	983	Fancy Prairie.....Menard	11	..	..	..	..	..
	984	Oconee.....Shelby	53	..	..	..	..	..
	985	Schram City.....Mt'gom'ry	..	..	..	..	..	..

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Scott McGlasson	986	Mulkeytown ... Franklin	147	19	3	11 76	9 00	20 76
Guy Lynn	987	Vanburen's b'g. Mt'gon'ry	77	...	...	...	...	...
J. S. Bennington	989	Dallas City..... Hancock	130	19	3	10 40	9 00	19 40
Gus B. Eisner	990	Chicago	135	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
W. F. Serles	991	West End..... Saline	165	...	...	...	...	...
J. S. Hughey	992	Beile Rive Jefferson	136	...	...	...	...	...
Ed L. Smith	993	Mt. Auburn..... Christian	25	...	...	...	...	...
.....	994	Emington Livingston	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wm. Rhymer	995	Reynoldsville Union	206	19	3	16 24	9 00	25 24
John Little	996	Lifftleton Schnyler	121	19	3	9 68	9 00	18 68
Fred O. Wilson	997	Mathersville Mercer	143	19	3	11 44	9 00	20 44
W. A. Edwards	998	Ittsburg Williamson	180	19	3	14 40	9 00	23 40
Oscar Wilhelm	999	Anboy Lee	143	...	...	...	...	...
Joe Hobart	1000	Webster Hancock	122	...	...	...	...	...
Jas. Kilbrieth	1001	Fordville Williamson	165	19	3	13 20	9 00	22 20
.....	1002	Sherman Sangamon	...	...	...	...	...	...
C. E. Vallette	1003	Wheaton DuPage	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Chas. Henschel	1004	Lee Center..... Lee	148	19	3	11 84	9 00	20 84
Albert Beals	1005	Trilla Coles	92	19	3	7 36	9 00	16 36
C. A. Moxley	1006	Taylorville Christian	26	19	3	2 08	9 00	11 08
Andrew C. Kidd	1007	Oglesby LaSalle	116	19	3	9 28	9 00	18 28
J. P. Burkett	1008	Orchardville Wayne	122	19	3	9 76	9 00	18 76
A. B. Wilson	1009	Dupo St. Clair	100	19	3	8 00	9 00	17 00
John C. Jackson	1010	Rosiclare Hardin	212	19	3	16 96	9 00	25 96
S. J. Donaldson	1011	Fillmore Montgomery	71	19	3	5 68	9 00	14 68
S. L. Watkins	1012	Chandlerville Cass	42	19	3	3 36	9 00	12 36
Otto Fick	1013	Harvard McHenry	227	19	3	18 16	9 00	27 16
W. P. Deckert	1014	Elburn Kane	193	19	3	15 44	9 00	24 44
John W. Largent	1015	Lanna City..... Peoria	73	19	3	5 84	9 00	14 84
C. W. Reid	1017	Stillwell Hancock	136	19	3	10 88	9 00	19 88
Alvin C. Gordon	1018	Etna Coles	87	19	3	6 96	9 00	15 96
J. H. Conditt	1019	Tamms Alexander	202	...	...	...	...	...
John N. King	1020	Diona Coles	58	19	3	7 84	9 00	16 84
F. E. Traxler	1021	Hammond Platt	55	...	...	...	...	...
L. W. Haskell	1022	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Ira W. Hobbs	1023	Chambersburg Pike	62	19	3	4 96	9 00	13 96
S. B. Harris	1024	Wood River..... Madison	...	...	...	...	...	...
Solomon Snider	1025	Royalton Franklin	156	19	3	12 48	9 00	21 48
S. D. Whitney	1026	Homewood Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
R. F. Constant	1027	Buffalo Hart.. Sangamon	13	19	3	1 04	9 00	10 04
C. E. Logan	1028	Lomax Henderson	126	19	3	10 08	9 00	19 08
Frank E. Barton	1029	Manito Mason	66	...	...	...	...	...
C. E. Elder	1030	Oak Park Cook	194	19	3	15 52	9 00	24 52
J. W. Spring	1031	Madison Madison	92	19	3	7 36	9 00	16 36
Jas. J. Vesely	1032	Chicago Cook	185	...	...	...	...	...
J. N. Price	1033	Janesville Coles	90	19	3	7 20	9 00	16 20
W. L. Butler	1034	Whittington Franklin	141	19	3	11 28	9 00	20 28
Jos. Fagan	1035	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
R. F. Owens	1036	Marion Williamson	173	19	3	13 84	9 00	22 84
John F. Sikyta	1037	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
.....	1038	Orient Franklin	135	...	...	...	...	...
.....	1039	Kincaid Christian	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dr. Thos. J. Hurst	1040	Frank't Heights. Franklin	...	...	...	...	...	...
Edw. R. Armitage	1041	Chicago Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80

MILEAGE AND PER-DIEM REPORT—Continued.

Names of Committeemen.	No. of Lodge.	P. O. Address—County.	Miles.	Date of Art.	Days in Att.	Amount of Mileage.	Amount of Per-Diem.	Total.
COMMITTEEMEN.								
State of the Order.								
S. A. Hathburn.....	793	Waukegan.....Lake	221	19	3	17 68	9 00	26 68
Edward H. Taylor.....	717	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
John J. Brown, P.G.M....	122	Vandalia.....Fayette	73	19	3	5 84	9 00	14 84
E. F. Drews, Rep.....	369	West Belleville...St. Clair	104	..	..	..	..	..
D. C. Stocking, P.G.P....	829	Rockford.....Winnebago	190	19	3	15 20	9 00	24 20
Peter Johnson, Rep.....	361	Chicago.....Cook	..	..	..	..	..	..
A. A. Ludwig.....	105	Sycamore.....DeKalb	201	19	3	16 08	9 00	25 08
James Jeffries, Rep.....	639	Chicago.....Cook	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wm. Nathan.....	917	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
L. B. Doan.....	152	Armington.....Tazewell	47	19	3	3 76	9 00	12 76
J. T. Arnold.....	641	Loraine.....Adams	131	19	3	10 72	9 00	19 72
J. A. Giherson, Rep.....	421	Alton.....Madison	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gus H. Arps.....	708	Palatine.....Cook	211	19	3	16 88	9 00	25 88
Hugh Calhoun.....	408	Galva.....Henry	112	19	3	8 96	9 00	17 96
Geo. Luxton.....	230	Rochelle.....Ogle	174	19	3	13 92	9 00	22 92
Committee on Legislation.								
Fred B. Merrills, P.G.M.	650	Belleville.....St. Clair	104	18	4	8 32	12 00	20 32
A. Otis Arnold, P. G. M.	12	Quincy.....Adams	..	..	..	..	..	..
H. E. Makutchan, PGP.	428	Princeton.....Bureau	..	..	..	..	..	..
A. L. Yantis.....	117	Shelbyville.....Shelby	59	18	4	4 72	12 00	16 72
J. Henry Debus, Rep.....	540	Chicago.....Cook	..	..	..	..	..	..
O. H. Richards, Rep.....	53	Jerseyville.....Jersey	..	..	..	..	..	..
Willis Melville, Rep.....	693	Brookfield.....Cook	..	..	..	..	..	..
Phillips Reitz, Rep.....	29	Joliet.....Will	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fred C. Mayer.....	825	Chicago.....Cook	185	18	4	14 80	12 00	26 80
W. B. Strang, Rep.....	631	Roodhouse.....Greene	..	..	..	..	..	..
A. T. Roner, Rep.....	506	Chicago.....Cook	..	..	..	..	..	..
Harold H. House.....	37	Nashville.....Washington	121	18	4	9 68	12 00	21 68
C. S. Johnson.....	69	Danville.....Vermilion	112	18	4	8 96	12 00	20 96
J. Johansen.....	412	Carthage.....Hancock	114	19	3	9 12	9 00	18 12
T. W. Vande Mark.....	31	Rockford.....Winnebago	227	18	4	18 16	12 00	30 16
Committee on Rebekah Degree.								
E. R. Saylor, P.G.M....	6	Mattoon.....Coles	80	19	3	6 40	9 00	15 40
C. A. Robbins.....	39	Dixon.....Lee	155	19	3	12 40	9 00	21 40
Frank Fucik, Rep.....	630	Chicago.....Cook	..	..	..	..	..	..
D. R. McLaughlin.....	510	Paw Paw.....Lee	150	19	3	12 00	9 00	21 00
Jacob Tweny.....	165	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
J. E. Johnson.....	206	Lexington.....McLean	75	19	3	6 00	9 00	15 00
Henry Goldsmith.....	55	Chicago.....Cook	135	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Robert Clark, Rep.....	722	Chicago.....Cook	..	..	..	..	..	..
J. B. Henning, Rep.....	155	DeKalb.....DeKalb	..	..	..	..	..	..
R. M. Cooper.....	65	Pecatur.....Macon	38	19	3	3 04	9 00	12 04
Committee on Mileage and Per Diem.								
Nelson Foley.....	8	Chicago.....Cook	185	18	4	14 80	12 00	26 80
Elmer E. Roberts, Rep..	41	Ottawa.....LaSalle	..	..	..	..	..	..
Walker W. Kerr.....	686	Orion.....Henry	135	19	3	10 80	9 00	19 80
P. G. Stein.....	4	Jacksonville.....Morgan	34	19	3	2 72	9 00	11 72
George W. Lemmers.....	60	Woodstock.....McHenry	215	19	3	17 20	9 00	26 20
W. M. Hill.....	141	Chicago.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80

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Frank A. Lind.....	799	RockfordWinnebago	237	19	3	18 16	9 00	27 16
Morris Levitt.....	1022	ChicagoCook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Rolla Jones, Rep.....	77	Bloomington .....McLean	...	...	...	...	...	...
Thos. McLean, Rep.....	608	Rock Island.....Rock Island	...	...	...	...	...	...
W. S. Foreman.....	95	Pittsfield .....Pike	74	19	3	5 92	9 00	14 92
Fred A. Rice.....	2	Blue Island.....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
J. H. Bath.....	762	Cuba .....Fulton	69	18	3	5 52	9 00	14 52
I. C. Abney.....	504	Creal Springs, Williamson	183	19	3	14 64	9 00	23 64
Committee on Railroads.								
A. B. Chadwick, Rep...	214	Chicago .....Cook	...	...	...	...	...	...
C. A. Young.....	751	Chicago .....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
W. H. Shriver, Rep.....	354	Kinnundy .....Marion	...	...	...	...	...	...
Committee on Printing.								
D. H. Chapman.....	782	Kensington .....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Chas. D. Brainard.....	21	Peoria .....Peoria	63	19	3	5 04	9 00	14 04
Howard Robertson.....	645	Austin .....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Special Committee on Home Libraries.								
L. L. McKinley, P.G.M...	...	Ottawa .....LaSalle	124	19	3	9 92	9 00	18 92
J. P. Ellacott.....	41	Chicago .....Cook	...	...	...	...	...	...
J. F. McConaughy.....	416	Rochelle .....Ogle	174	19	3	13 92	9 00	22 92
Special Committee on Dropping, for Non-Payment of Dues.								
C. H. Willie.....	418	Taxton .....Ford	98	19	3	7 84	9 00	16 84
David J. Dumser.....	47	Elgin .....Kane	194	19	3	15 52	9 00	24 52
Alex Van Praag, P.G.M.	186	Decatur .....Macon	38	19	3	3 04	9 00	12 04
Orphans' Home Directory								
W. R. McGaughey.....	300	Mt. Zion .....Macon	46	19	3	3 68	9 00	12 68
Arthur G. Nawman.....	540	Chicago .....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Wm. H. Pease, P.G.M...	80	Harvey .....Cook	175	19	3	14 00	9 00	23 00
John H. Steiner.....	12	Quincy .....Adams	113	19	3	9 04	9 00	18 04
John J. Crowder, P.G.M.	21	Peoria .....Peoria	63	19	3	5 04	9 00	14 04
J. A. Lucas Supt.....	...	Lincoln .....Logan	28	19	3	2 24	9 00	11 24
Trustees Old Folks' Home.								
Harry G. Cormick.....	179	Centralia .....Marion	106	19	3	8 24	9 00	17 24
Chas. S. Harris, P.G.M.	478	Galesburg .....Knox	169	19	3	8 72	9 00	17 72
A. J. Maurer, P.G.P...	311	Eureka .....Woodford	81	19	3	6 48	9 00	15 48
John W. Yantis, P.G.M.	177	Shelbyville .....Shelby	59	19	3	4 72	9 00	13 72
Chas. E. Boyer.....	55	Chicago .....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Trustees of Endowment Fund.								
F. D. P. Snelling, P.G.P.	601	Chicago .....Cook	185	19	3	14 80	9 00	23 80
Geo. A. Anthony.....	128	Kewanee .....Henry	119	19	3	9 52	9 00	18 52
E. S. Conway, P.G.S...	217	Oak Park .....Cook	194	19	3	15 52	9 00	24 52
Committee on Credentials.								
J. D. Rowe.....	227	Whitehall .....Greene	59	19	3	4 72	9 00	13 72
Clyde McAllister.....	962	Meredosia .....Morgan	58	18	4	4 64	12 00	16 64
Thos. C. Stobbs.....	80	Harvey .....Cook	175	18	4	14 00	12 00	26 00

SUMMARY OF THE REPORT OF MILEAGE AND PER DIEM
COMMITTEE.

Number of Grand Officers present.....	14
Number of Lodges represented.....	745
Number of Lodges not represented.....	225
Number of Representatives on Committees.....	19
Number of Past Grand Masters on Committees.....	11
Number of miles traveled (one way).....	102,486
Number of days attendance.....	2,465
Amount of mileage	\$ 8,198.88
Amount of per diem	7,395.00

Total	\$ 15,593.88
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Average amount paid to Officers, Representatives and Committeemen	\$ 18.99
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NELSON FOLEY,
Chairman.

ABSTRACT OF REPORTS OF SUBORDINATE
LODGES *to the* GRAND LODGE OF ILLINOIS,
I. O. O. F., *for the* YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1917

ABSTRACT of Reports of Subordinate Lodges to the Grand Lodge of Illinois for the Year ending Dec. 31, 1917.—Continued.

Name of Lodge.	Lodge Number.	Post Office Address.	County.	Time of Meeting.	Membership Dec. 31, 1917.	Initiated.	Admitted by Card.	Reinstated.	Withdrawn by Card.	Resigned.	Suspended.	Dropped.	Expelled.	Died.	Contributing members Dec. 31, 1917.	Rejected.	No. of Past Grands.	Brothers Relieved.	Weeks' Benefits Paid.	Widowed Families Relieved.	Lodge Number.
Pike	73	Griggsville	Pike	Monday	139	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	145	1	31	14	48	...	74
Iroquois	74	Waseka	Iroquois	Tuesday	128	14	3	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	126	...	42	11	53	...	75
Star	75	Morris	Grundy	Friday	225	13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	229	...	41	11	103	...	76
Principle	76	Perry	Perry	Thursday	113	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	97	...	31	58	69	...	77
Remembrance	77	Bloomington	Pike	Tuesday	482	9	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	165	...	96	12	612	...	78
Spoon River	78	Elkhart	McLean	Wednesday	105	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	111	...	30	12	47	...	79
Vermont	79	Vermont	Fulton	Wednesday	108	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	115	...	25	3	11	...	80
Harvey	80	Harvey	Cook	Tuesday	361	19	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	376	...	53	21	137	...	81
Naperville	81	Naperville	DuPage	Friday	62	30	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	51	...	16	2	37	...	82
Concord	82	Concord	Morgan	Saturday	59	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	...	2	4	...	...	83
Amictia	83	Naples	Scott	Monday	95	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	...	12	3	7	...	84
Columbus	84	Columbus	Adams	Saturday	55	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	54	...	37	5	29	...	85
Dallas	85	Edgingham	Edgingham	Wednesday	105	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	91	...	32	3	11	...	86
Chosen Friends	86	Metropolis	Massac	Friday	51	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	56	...	27	...	...	...	87
Six Mile	87	Nameoki	Madison	Saturday	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	...	18	...	...	...	88
Lacon	88	Lacon	Marshall	Tuesday	50	5	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	35	...	21	2	50	...	89
Toonaluka	89	Princeton	Bureau	Wednesday	37	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	...	21	2	...	...	90
Kickapoo	90	Charleston	Coles	Tuesday	191	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	472	...	57	46	274	...	91
Edgar	91	Paris	Edgar	Friday	264	9	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	172	...	45	6	25	...	92
Arcaadia	92	Arcaadia	Morgan	Saturday	69	6	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	99	...	41	9	50	...	93
Waverly	93	Waverly	Morgan	Thursday	100	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	110	...	42	8	21	...	94
Oregon	94	Oregon	Ogle	Friday	107	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	139	...	42	1	111	...	95
Pittsfield	95	Pittsfield	Pike	Friday	131	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	...	24	3	...	...	96
Stark	96	Toulon	Stark	Tuesday	50	3	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	73	...	27	3	23	...	97
Perry	97	Tamaroa	Perry	Tuesday	62	20	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	256	...	15	15	104	...	98
Olive	98	Clinton	De Witt	Tuesday	263	7	4	7	1	1	...	...	...	...	73	...	30	11	40	...	99
Opal	99	Grayville	White	Tuesday	78	5	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	107	...	31	8	...	...	100
Jephtha	100	Grayville	Adams	Friday	113	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	139	...	61	10	134	...	101
LaSalle	101	LaSalle	LaSalle	Monday	146	11	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	58	...	20	2	...	...	102
Arenas	102	Elmwood	Peoria	Tuesday	171	10	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	139	...	21	9	186	...	103
Smithfield	103	Smithfield	Fulton	Tuesday	62	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	139	...	20	2	...	...	104
Prairie State	104	Smithfield	De Witt	Tuesday	173	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	139	...	22	7	29	...	105
Sycamore	105	Wyanetsville	De Witt	Tuesday	119	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	97	...	27	12	37	...	106
Hudsonville	106	Hudsonville	De Kalb	Wednesday	102	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	90	...	39	2	1	...	107
Carlinville	107	Carlinville	Crawford	Monday	92	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	136	...	37	14	251	...	108
Metropolitan	108	Centralla	Marion	Tuesday	139	6	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	136	...	37	14	...	...	...

Name of Lodge.	Lodge Number.	Paid for Relief of Brothers.	Paid for Relief of Widowed Families.	Paid for Education of Orphans.	Paid for Special Relief.	Paid for Burying the Dead.	Total Relief.	Total Revenue.	Receipts for Dues.	Receipts for Initiations, etc.	From Rents.	Receipts from Other Sources.	Expenditures.	Invested Funds.	For Maintenance of Orphans' Home.	For Maintenance of Old Folks' Home.	Lodge Number.
Pike.....	73	199 00					199 00	1,523 84	627 10	93 00	717 65	86 09	1,875 05	10,437 31			73
Iroquois.....	74	153 00				50 00	203 00	4,472 28	669 00	90 80	30 00	8	1,365 85	2,500 00			74
Star.....	75	264 00			65 00	500 00	829 00	2,593 84	2,126 45	284 00	20 47	102 92	10,824 67	10,824 67			75
Princeton.....	76	207 00					207 00	699 81				529 81	518 92	1,807 24			76
Remembrance.....	77	197 00			50 00	1,380 00	8,627 00	10,779 92	3,884 23	270 00	6,034 97		4,386 00	60,625 04			77
Spoon River.....	78	141 00			10 00		151 00	877 60	396 40	93 00	827 70		696 17	5,135 26			78
Vermont.....	79	33 00			6 00	50 00	89 00	817 31	235 21	153 00	252 40	117 03	81 46	5,922 55			79
Harvey.....	80	612 00			60 00		672 00	8,722 03	2,470 78	844 10	79 00	328 15	8,601 09	10,630 61			80
Naperville.....	81	132 00			30 00		162 00	674 03	177 48	108 40	328 15		118 50	429 96			81
Concord.....	82	12 00			24 00	100 00	136 00										82
Amiteia.....	83	17 50					17 50	234 00	111 00	45 00	78 00		60 74	1,278 77			83
Columbus.....	84	87 00			15 00	20 00	122 00	211 10	130 85	32 00	28 60	25	197 44	1,996 55			84
Dallas.....	85	33 00			10 00	81 30	124 30	677 25	670 75	3 00	3 50		632 01	411 48			85
Chosen Friends.....	86							482 80	273 30	41 00	168 50		251 53	3,421 52			86
Six Mile.....	87	21 00				50 00	71 00	596 50	107 70	20 00	398 80		445 36	8,143 37			87
Lacon.....	88	18 00			10 00		28 00	430 82	259 81	81 50	67 50	22 01	279 14	1,813 26			88
Tonnawaka.....	89	49 00				47 00	96 00	253 50	155 25	57 00	41 25		232 00	1,466 00			89
Kickapoo.....	90	406 00	5 25		22 00		643 25	3,074 82	854 70	77 75	942 37	1,200 00	3,029 75	6,761 88			90
Edgar.....	91	1,093 00	105 48		14 13	320 00	1,532 61	3,623 95	1,259 25	150 95	892 00	1,321 75	3,461 81	18,190 72			91
Arcadia.....	92	63 00					63 00	459 25	302 75	106 50	50 00		218 00	2,750 73			92
Waverly.....	93	150 00			102 06	90 00	342 00	1,038 20	543 70	54 50	440 00	69 00	1,183 81	4,720 00			93
Oregon.....	94	63 00					63 00	834 90	517 80	151 50	177 75		644 70	4,230 00			94
Pittsfield.....	95	159 00	15 06			245 00	419 05	1,045 45	672 70	195 00	177 50	50	939 61	7,196 08			95
Stark.....	96	20 00			10 00	89 00	129 00	316 25	292 65	5 60	173 27		259 12	8,776 48			96
Perry.....	97	48 00				31 00	79 00	902 08	446 29	282 52	173 27		684 31	2,177 20			97
Olive.....	98	407 00			16 64	100 00	507 00	3,061 56	1,487 65	139 35	1,277 62	156 94	3,287 32				98
Opal.....	99	97 00					113 64	558 63	355 20	88 70	113 75		565 90	1,287 61			99
Jephtha.....	100	24 00					24 00	540 39	435 95	48 50	36 00	19 94	481 60	2,000 68			100
LaSalle.....	101	339 00			24 00		637 00	1,071 22	854 70	173 50		673 02	1,568 71	2,093 01			101
Arcanus.....	102	322 50			42 10	240 00	604 00	4,312 93	1,365 50	238 50	405 70		4,275 20	8,586 60			102
Smithfield.....	103	24 00	5 00				29 00	342 55	319 15	39 00	4 10		238 70	8,070 36			103
Prairie State.....	104	116 00				80 00	196 00	1,271 80	703 10	96 70	320 50	61 50	946 54	6,208 48			104
Sycamore.....	105	210 00			29 96		239 96	1,444 31	556 85	332 00	312 50	228 96	1,519 91	21,962 49			105
Hutsonville.....	106	148 00			10 00	50 00	208 00	1,797 12	413 22	49 40	334 50		715 48	3,874 67			106
Carlinville.....	107	3 00			46 00		49 00	1,099 25	605 50	118 00	82 15	233 00	764 25	1,183 81			107
Metropolitan.....	108	690 00			94 00	160 00	944 00	2,854 40	952 25	97 50	1,159 00	615 65	2,930 33	16,967 60			108

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Fort Clark.....	109	Peoria.....	Peoria.....	Monday.....	408	19	5	...	2	...	...	8	...	2	401	...	29	18	124	1	109
Suburban.....	110	LaGrange.....	Cook.....	Saturday.....	119	7	...	...	1	...	...	5	...	...	84	...	34	9	24	...	110
Middle Fork.....	111	Potomac.....	Vermilion.....	Tuesday.....	78	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	85	...	26	2	41	...	111
Astoria.....	112	Fulton.....	Fulton.....	Tuesday.....	74	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	96	...	23	3	11	...	112
Cheltenham.....	113	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Tuesday.....	91	8	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	71	...	35	7	36	...	113
Mount Olive.....	114	Marion.....	Marion.....	Monday.....	127	1	...	...	2	...	...	3	...	...	129	...	17	12	129	...	114
Triple Link.....	115	Salem.....	Lawrence.....	Friday.....	127	14	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	188	...	35	13	160	...	115
Atlanta.....	116	Bridgport.....	Lawrence.....	Friday.....	138	6	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	188	...	42	6	39	...	116
Okaw.....	117	Greenup.....	Cumberland.....	Saturday.....	135	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	135	...	33	13	63	...	117
Hennepin.....	118	Shelbyville.....	Shelby.....	Friday.....	135	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	135	...	30	18	38	...	118
St. Clair.....	119	Hennepin.....	Putnam.....	Tuesday.....	32	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	90	...	40	1	41	...	119
Fairview.....	120	Lebanon.....	St. Clair.....	Wednesday.....	88	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	90	...	40	1	41	...	120
Franklin.....	121	Fairview.....	Fulton.....	Tuesday.....	119	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	125	...	48	6	51	...	121
Vandalin.....	122	Franklin.....	Morgan.....	Saturday.....	111	3	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	103	...	31	8	30	...	122
Salem.....	123	Vandalia.....	Fayette.....	Tuesday.....	185	6	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	190	...	41	16	215	...	123
Crawford.....	124	Petersburg.....	Menard.....	Tuesday.....	269	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	271	...	52	16	151	...	124
Pearl.....	125	Robinson.....	Crawford.....	Friday.....	265	7	...	...	1	...	...	11	...	...	256	...	71	27	182	...	125
Mt. Pleasant.....	126	Pearl.....	DeWitt.....	Thursday.....	70	1	...	2	...	...	...	3	...	...	71	...	46	4	13	...	126
Marcelline.....	127	Farmer City.....	DeWitt.....	Wednesday.....	131	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	131	...	46	4	9	...	127
Kewanee.....	128	Ursa.....	Adams.....	Saturday.....	69	2	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	68	...	30	9	33	1	128
Diligence.....	129	Kewanee.....	Henry.....	Monday.....	181	13	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	137	...	46	14	61	...	129
Wheeler.....	130	Princetonville.....	Peoria.....	Wednesday.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	130
Tilton.....	131	Vandercook.....	Jasper.....	Saturday.....	77	10	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	86	...	41	5	109	...	131
Amity.....	132	Murphysboro.....	Vermilion.....	Wednesday.....	60	6	1	4	...	...	...	7	...	...	62	...	22	15	82	...	132
Moline.....	133	Moline.....	Jackson.....	Saturday.....	228	2	2	2	1	...	...	2	...	...	228	...	54	34	300	...	133
Martinsville.....	134	Moline.....	Rock Island.....	Tuesday.....	462	3	2	2	1	...	...	18	...	...	493	...	42	40	251	1	134
Joppa.....	135	Martinsville.....	Clark.....	Saturday.....	247	51	...	...	5	1	...	4	...	...	244	...	49	18	129	...	135
West Salem.....	136	Joppa.....	Massac.....	Saturday.....	32	...	1	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	29	...	13	1	4	...	136
New Philadelphia.....	137	Johnston City.....	Williamson.....	Wednesday.....	73	2	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	68	...	17	4	33	...	137
Urbana.....	138	West Salem.....	Edwards.....	Wednesday.....	119	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	114	...	41	6	36	...	138
Social.....	139	Urbana.....	McDonough.....	Tuesday.....	54	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	52	...	27	3	...	...	139
I Will.....	140	Rockford.....	Champaign.....	Friday.....	176	13	2	...	3	...	...	11	...	...	207	...	49	17	98	...	140
Galesburg.....	141	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....	Monday.....	341	5	1	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	329	...	45	12	72	...	141
Mason.....	142	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Tuesday.....	183	6	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	47	11	48	...	142
Tazewell.....	143	Galesburg.....	Knox.....	Monday.....	102	5	1	...	1	...	...	4	...	...	104	...	24	1	3	...	143
...	...	Havana.....	Mason.....	Tuesday.....	102	5	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	Washington.....	Tazewell.....	Monday.....	71	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	70	...	37	13	64	...	144

Name of Lodge.	Lodge Number.	Paid for Relief of Brothers.	Paid for Relief of Widowed Families.	Paid for Education of Orphans.	Paid for Special Relief.	Paid for Burying the Dead.	Total Relief.	Total Revenue.	Receipts for Dues.	Receipts for Initiations, etc.	From Interest and Rents.	Receipts from Other Sources.	Expenditures.	Invested Funds.	For Maintenance of Orphans' Home.	For Maintenance of Old Folks' Home.	Lodge Number.
Fort Clark.....	109	384 00	75 00	10 00	.....	55 00	514 00	5,937 11	2,790 90	132 00	2,323 61	690 60	5,091 27	38,440 95	.....	.....	109
Suburban.....	110	120 00	.....	.....	97 50	100 00	327 50	1,181 70	917 70	213 00	105 50	51 00	1,037 00	1,228 83	.....	.....	110
Middle Fork.....	111	122 00	.....	.....	.....	60 00	182 00	845 95	479 70	144 00	.....	.....	1,406 46	729 00	.....	.....	111
Astoria.....	112	30 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	30 00	968 40	357 95	109 00	17 25	484 20	.....	.....	.....	.....	112
Chenut.....	113	174 00	.....	.....	22 00	.....	196 00	745 65	579 00	166 65	.....	.....	670 18	1,179 40	.....	.....	113
Mount Olive.....	114	194 00	.....	.....	.....	240 00	434 00	1,832 02	615 02	35 00	696 00	486 00	1,779 28	12,893 36	.....	.....	114
Triple Link.....	115	473 00	.....	.....	.....	99 37	572 37	1,291 96	562 45	116 00	250 50	363 01	225 00	444 40	.....	.....	115
Atlanta.....	116	117 00	.....	15 00	17 00	66 05	215 05	1,681 17	456 40	87 00	137 77	618 25	822 38	8,684 80	.....	.....	116
Oklaw.....	117	137 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	137 00	2,025 28	485 80	30 00	189 23	15 00	925 98	8,100 00	.....	.....	117
Hempden.....	118	117 00	.....	.....	3 20	.....	120 20	362 05	191 65	.....	155 40	.....	455 89	4,873 49	.....	.....	118
St. Clair.....	119	164 00	.....	.....	19 00	425 05	648 05	710 80	477 05	140 00	93 75	.....	870 07	4,451 51	.....	.....	119
Fairview.....	120	63 00	12 10	.....	30 00	80 00	185 10	864 91	547 35	136 00	174 36	6 50	712 07	5,500 39	.....	.....	120
Franklin.....	121	59 50	.....	.....	.....	100 00	197 05	917 05	490 95	51 00	125 00	280 40	914 98	3,771 65	.....	.....	121
Vandalia.....	122	297 00	.....	.....	289 71	160 00	546 71	2,290 10	1,117 45	130 90	993 00	55 73	2,256 33	3,957 94	.....	.....	122
Salmon.....	123	291 00	.....	.....	36 50	50 00	377 50	738 86	263 25	.....	.....	475 61	1,702 61	7,468 13	.....	.....	123
Crawford.....	124	481 00	.....	.....	36 50	200 00	717 50	.....	.....	.....	224 10	.....	518 00	4,584 65	.....	.....	124
Pearl.....	125	33 00	.....	.....	10 00	100 00	143 00	598 40	345 90	28 40	224 10	.....	522 14	3,431 91	.....	.....	125
Mt. Pleasant.....	126	26 00	8 05	.....	5 00	100 00	131 00	729 38	556 10	68 75	36 08	68 45	370 20	3,177 55	.....	.....	126
Marcelline.....	127	135 00	.....	.....	.....	50 00	200 15	427 32	348 60	56 00	.....	.....	370 20	3,177 55	.....	.....	127
Kewanee.....	128	355 00	.....	.....	376 03	59 10	790 13	9,922 71	987 86	367 00	8,819 75	4,748 10	10,643 68	38,718 55	.....	.....	128
Diligence.....	129	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	129
Wheeler.....	130	243 00	.....	.....	.....	80 00	323 00	483 25	314 25	139 00	30 00	.....	441 95	1,770 10	.....	.....	130
Tilton.....	131	247 00	.....	.....	.....	100 00	347 00	767 00	643 00	124 00	.....	.....	357 00	4,512 40	.....	.....	131
Amity.....	132	884 50	.....	.....	.....	100 00	984 50	2,578 50	1,565 00	97 50	916 00	.....	2,004 91	2,457 61	.....	.....	132
Moline.....	133	445 00	165 00	.....	77 50	900 00	1,587 50	4,879 48	1,555 95	734 00	155 95	1,085 05	.....	1,146 50	.....	.....	133
Martinsville.....	134	313 00	.....	.....	.....	90 00	403 00	1,297 03	917 50	42 50	863 40	3 63	1,652 84	13,092 88	.....	.....	134
Joppa.....	135	12 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	12 00	295 40	78 95	.....	73 75	112 70	165 99	719 51	.....	.....	135
Velch.....	136	114 00	.....	10 00	163 00	.....	227 00	670 25	574 75	47 00	35 00	13 50	925 81	2,015 00	.....	.....	136
West Salem.....	137	108 00	.....	.....	30 00	.....	138 00	771 61	505 21	.....	182 40	84 00	825 81	4,381 57	.....	.....	137
New Philadelphia.....	138	251 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	21 00	427 56	259 60	.....	141 71	26 25	297 63	3,511 72	.....	.....	138
Urbana.....	139	252 00	.....	.....	.....	300 00	552 00	2,542 55	1,333 80	35 00	616 25	537 50	983 83	7,155 27	.....	.....	139
Social.....	140	212 00	.....	.....	18 40	130 50	390 90	1,694 68	1,091 90	185 00	336 28	81 50	1,531 78	6,547 69	.....	.....	140
I Will.....	141	622 00	.....	.....	.....	650 00	1,272 00	4,887 54	2,627 97	470 00	135 50	1,454 07	2,730 72	3,305 19	.....	.....	141
Galesburg.....	142	171 00	.....	.....	.....	100 00	271 00	1,750 30	1,094 49	126 50	197 81	331 50	1,181 16	3,186 91	.....	.....	142
Mason.....	143	6 00			16 40		22 40	775 80	592 25	89 50	114 45	19 15	867 33	3,011 80			143
Tazewell.....	144	298 00					298 00	583 91	436 91	41 00	103 00		537 74	2,453 08			144

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Military Tract.	145	Macomb	McDonough	Tuesday	236	19	4	1	2	..	..	..	..	2	255	..	48	23	133	..	145
Shawnee.	146	Durand	Winnebago	Monday	54	4	1	1	..	..	..	5	..	..	55	..	24	3	15	..	146
Senachwine.	147	Tiskilwa	Bureau	Monday	83	1	1	..	..	..	..	4	..	3	78	..	21	3	15	..	147
Abou Ben Adhem	148	Fulton	Whiteside	Tuesday	83	7	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	91	..	21	7	15	..	148
Leroy	149	LeRoy	McLean	Tuesday	133	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	149	..	40	..	..	..	149
Redmon	150	Redmon	Edgar	Saturday	62	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	64	..	28	..	..	..	150
Flora	151	Flora	Clay	Wednesday	96	4	1	..	1	..	..	7	..	..	96	..	30	10	124	..	151
132	132	Arminington	Tazewell	Monday	134	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	145	..	33	6	31	..	152
Nona	153	Little York	Warren	Tuesday	75	45	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	126	..	29	4	20	..	153
York	154	Dunlap	Peoria	Tuesday	103	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	112	..	30	21	64	..	154
Sylvan	155	DeKalb	DeKalb	Monday	196	27	2	..	3	..	..	14	..	2	206	..	35	15	101	8	155
DeKalb	156	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	156
Melvin	157	Melvin	Port	Saturday	30	..	..	..	1	..	..	5	..	..	21	..	11	9	82	..	157
Moutrie	158	Sullivan	Moutrie	Tuesday	155	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	4	148	..	43	7	40	..	158
Beaucoup	159	Pineknaveville	Perry	Wednesday	127	8	1	4	3	..	..	6	..	1	143	..	60	26	123	..	159
Warren	160	Monmouth	Warren	Monday	89	15	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	100	..	43	..	168	..	160
Newton	161	Newton	Jasper	Tuesday	112	5	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	3	114	..	..	1	7	..	161
Newark	162	Newark	Kendall	Tuesday	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	9	..	..	5	..	..	162
New Endeavor	163	Rutland	LaSalle	Thursday	30	10	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	..	19	4	19	..	..	163
Savanna	164	Savanna	Carroll	Monday	252	12	2	..	1	..	..	23	1	2	247	..	41	27	19	1	164
Commercial	165	Chicago	Cook	Thursday	212	10	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	5	218	..	36	..	..	..	165
Capital City	166	Springfield	Sangamon	Wednesday	248	3	5	6	4	..	..	14	..	5	275	..	..	23	71	..	166
Leaf River	167	Leaf River	Ogle	Thursday	29	1	..	..	1	..	..	5	..	2	22	..	11	1	..	..	167
..	168	..	..	Closed	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	168
Allendale	169	Allendale	Wabash	Tuesday	25	11	1	1	1	..	..	4	..	..	34	..	17	2	16	..	169
Raritan	170	Raritan	Henderson	Friday	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	..	12	4	29	..	..	170
Little Rock	171	Piano	Kendall	Tuesday	51	13	3	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	66	..	20	8	45	..	171
Geneseo	172	Geneseo	Henry	Tuesday	67	4	2	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	63	..	24	4	61	..	172
Pecatonica	173	Pecatonica	Winnebago	Monday	46	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	47	..	12	3	14	..	173
Sterling	174	Sterling	Whiteside	Monday	140	29	1	1	..	1	..	5	..	6	159	..	33	15	171	..	174
Narango	175	Marengo	McHenry	Wednesday	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	175
Logan	176	Logan	Logan	Wednesday	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	176
Pocahontas	177	Pocahontas	Bond	Wednesday	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	177
Springerton	178	Springerton	White	Wednesday	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	178
Queen City	179	Cenaualla	Marion	Monday	218	3	2	..	6	1	..	10	..	4	190	..	52	34	85	..	179
Richland	180	Olney	Richland	Monday	203	8	1	..	1	..	..	6	..	3	202	..	46	25	127	..	180

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Eschol	181	181 Raleigh	Saline	Closed	24	7	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	28	...	23	2	19	...	181
DeWitt	182	182 Parnell	Saline	Tuesday	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	...	22	2	8	...	182
Abingdon	183	183 Knox	DeWitt	Friday	294	4	2	1	5	...	...	3	...	1	262	...	22	19	103	...	183
New Home	184	184 Abingdon	DeWitt	Friday	64	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	62	...	26	5	57	...	184
Celestial	185	185 Karber's Ridge	Hardin	Saturday	297	16	3	...	1	1	2	18	...	3	291	...	16	222	...	...	185
Danby	186	186 Decatur	Macon	Monday	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	...	...	...	186
DuPage	187	187 Glen Ellyn	DuPage	Monday	57	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	54	...	41	...	...	...	187
New Boston	188	188 New Boston	Mercer	Monday	77	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	71	...	25	...	...	...	188
Carmi	189	189 Carmi	White	Thursday	101	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	103	...	41	...	...	...	189
Irving Park	190	190 Chicago	Cook	Tuesday	167	8	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	187	...	51	...	...	...	190
Hamilton	191	191 McLeansboro	Hamilton	Monday	174	40	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	213	...	46	...	...	...	191
Girard	192	192 Girard	Macoupin	Friday	78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80	...	32	...	...	...	192
Tranquil	193	193 Quawka	Henderson	Friday	17	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	...	12	...	...	...	193
Lena	194	194 Lena	Greene	Monday	37	1	1	1	1	...	...	4	...	1	34	...	13	...	...	...	194
Greenfield	195	195 Greenfield	Greene	Monday	155	29	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	180	...	40	...	...	...	195
Calumet	196	196 Chillicothe	Peoria	Tuesday	152	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	168	...	43	...	...	...	196
Polo	197	197 Polo	Ogle	Monday	221	43	3	2	1	...	...	6	...	3	259	...	38	...	...	...	197
Colfax	198	198 Chicago	Cook	Thursday	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	116	...	32	...	...	...	198
Cambridge	199	199 Cambridge	Henry	Thursday	83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	81	...	24	...	...	...	199
Divernon	200	200 Divernon	Sangamon	Friday	63	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	85	...	27	...	...	...	200
Junata	201	201 Marselles	LaSalle	Monday	134	54	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	3	183	...	31	...	...	...	201
Bohemia	202	202 Cicero	Cook	Monday	38	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	38	...	24	...	...	...	202
Fraternity	203	203 Swan Creek	Warren	Thursday	301	29	1	1	3	...	...	12	...	...	31	...	79	...	...	...	203
Lincoln	204	204 Lincoln	Logan	Thursday	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	143	...	46	...	...	...	204
McDonough	205	205 Prairie City	McDonough	Friday	122	25	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	143	...	46	...	...	...	205
McDonough	206	206 Lexington	McLean	Friday	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	143	...	46	...	...	...	206
McLean	207	207 Lexington	McLean	Friday	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	143	...	46	...	...	...	207
Onarga	208	208 Onarga	Iroquois	Cons.	133	10	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	146	...	42	...	...	...	208
Mercer	209	209 Mercer	Mercer	Thursday	70	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	146	...	42	...	...	...	209
Cedar	210	210 Keithsburg	Mercer	Tuesday	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	146	...	42	...	...	...	210
Sandwich	211	211 Mason	Effingham	Tuesday	57	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	...	34	...	...	...	211
Orphears' Hope	212	212 Sandwich	DeKalb	Monday	151	...	...	...	1	...	...	6	...	...	54	...	17	...	...	...	212
Fort Dearborn	213	213 Kenia	Clay	Monday	68	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	161	...	53	...	...	...	213
Camp Point	214	214 Chicago	Cook	Tuesday	177	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	168	...	56	...	...	...	214
Loogootee	215	215 Camp Point	Adams	Monday	129	7	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	173	...	22	...	...	...	215
Loogootee	216	216 Loogootee	Fayette	Wednesday	129	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	125	...	17	...	...	...	216
Loogootee	216	216 Loogootee	Fayette	Saturday	35	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	...	17	...	...	...	216

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Cicero.....	217	Oak Park.....	Cook.....	Monday.....	118	15	6	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	131	...	39	9	101	...	217
Howard.....	218	Kankakee.....	Kankakee.....	Monday.....	294	48	4	...	1	...	...	15	...	5	327	...	39	13	...	...	218
William Tell.....	219	Joliet.....	Will.....	Tuesday.....	147	17	3	1	1	...	...	18	...	1	118	...	25	15	52	...	219
Travelers Rest.....	220	Galesburg.....	Macoupin.....	Monday.....	66	15	...	3	...	...	...	10	...	...	72	...	28	5	...	...	220
Harmonia.....	221	Gillespie.....	Cook.....	Thursday.....	83	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	...	...	75	...	28	8	67	3	221
Temple.....	222	Harmonia.....	Cook.....	Wednesday.....	106	12	4	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	121	...	45	2	92	...	222
Avon.....	223	Nauvoo.....	Fulton.....	Tuesday.....	84	12	...	...	3	...	...	6	...	...	78	...	35	6	23	...	223
Alexander.....	224	Cairo.....	Alexander.....	Thursday.....	83	5	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	86	...	22	6	44	...	224
Sidell.....	225	Sidell.....	Vermilion.....	Thursday.....	186	1	1	3	6	...	...	2	...	1	180	...	55	17	106	...	225
Scottville.....	226	Scottville.....	Macoupin.....	Saturday.....	63	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	66	...	23	1	2	...	226
Benevolent.....	227	Whitehall.....	Greene.....	Monday.....	95	2	...	1	...	...	...	6	...	...	95	...	29	5	36	...	227
Jim Fleming.....	228	Buckingham.....	Kankakee.....	Monday.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	228
Illinois City.....	229	Rock Island.....	Rock Island.....	Saturday.....	49	5	...	2	1	...	...	5	...	...	52	1	19	5	32	...	229
Hickory Grove.....	230	Illinois City.....	Ozle.....	Thursday.....	169	8	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	3	114	...	28	5	43	...	230
Praha.....	231	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Wednesday.....	545	...	...	1	26	1	...	4	...	9	589	1	40	40	305	8	231
Hope.....	232	DuQuoin.....	Perry.....	Thursday.....	242	25	8	...	...	...	...	3	...	4	266	...	53	40	265	...	232
Carbondale.....	233	Carbondale.....	Jackson.....	Monday.....	92	3	1	4	1	1	...	9	...	1	88	...	24	2	53	...	233
West Jersey.....	234	West Jersey.....	Stark.....	Friday.....	43	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47	...	24	4	26	...	234
Monitor.....	235	Bone Gap.....	Edwards.....	Saturday.....	88	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	83	...	24	4	26	...	235
Aledo.....	236	Aledo.....	Mercer.....	Monday.....	163	3	2	...	1	...	...	14	...	1	152	1	43	5	14	...	236
Treasury.....	237	Rantoul.....	Champaign.....	Thursday.....	120	12	4	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	135	...	31	4	19	...	237
Fernwood.....	238	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Saturday.....	147	9	1	1	2	...	...	14	...	1	141	...	31	12	84	...	238
Freemont.....	239	Freeport.....	Stephenson.....	Monday.....	275	9	1	4	2	...	...	16	...	7	259	1	73	15	114	...	239
Cook County.....	240	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Wednesday.....	471	15	4	2	1	...	...	10	...	9	475	...	66	33	305	...	240
Southard.....	241	Jonesboro.....	Union.....	Wednesday.....	75	69	5	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	155	...	30	8	22	...	241
Williams.....	242	Ina.....	Jefferson.....	Saturday.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	242
Urania.....	243	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.....	Monday.....	450	25	1	1	6	1	...	31	...	6	433	...	57	33	300	...	243
Wyoming.....	244	Wyoming.....	Stark.....	Tuesday.....	96	1	...	...	1	...	...	4	...	...	92	...	21	1	6	...	244
North Fork.....	245	Rossville.....	Vermilion.....	Thursday.....	9	21	...	4	...	...	...	3	...	...	31	...	5	...	...	...	245
Maywood.....	246	Maywood.....	Cook.....	Tuesday.....	165	5	5	...	2	1	...	6	...	1	165	...	36	11	45	...	246
Asbury.....	247	Keens.....	Wayne.....	Saturday.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	247
Sumner.....	248	Sumner.....	Lawrence.....	Thursday.....	124	1	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	1	117	...	32	14	57	2	248
Mound City.....	249	Mound City.....	Pulaski.....	Thursday.....	250	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	35	...	24	2	...	...	249
Belknap.....	250	Belknap.....	Johnson.....	Monday.....	46	25	6	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	83	2	31	9	17	...	250
Homer.....	251	Homer.....	Champaign.....	Friday.....	113	1	...	1	2	...	...	4	...	...	107	...	30	9	96	...	251
Homer.....	252	Homer.....	Champaign.....	Friday.....	113	1	...	1	2	...	...	4	...	...	107	...	30	9	96	...	252

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Cleero	217	89 00			10 00		379 00	3,122 31	640 50	214 50	874 85	1,392 46	1,566 08	4,218 10			217
Howard	218	166 00			15 00	170 00	351 00	4,922 42	1,588 25	710 00	2,605 92	25 25	4,741 46	8,426 40			218
William Tye ..	219	260 00			29 00	126 00	415 00	1,768 86	1,040 15	275 00	304 65	139 06	1,662 88	2,040 00			219
Travellers' Rest	220	81 00					81 00	606 25	440 35	167 00	53 00		711 00	886 60			220
Harrison's	221	325 00			25 00	400 00	810 00	2,151 26	522 05		1,507 51	111 07	2,386 40	10,900 00			221
Temple	222	331 00					331 00	1,507 12	591 75	216 45	391 82	317 40	1,667 53	7,769 90			222
Avon	223	70 00					70 00	495 97	399 80	42 00	52 00	2 17	1,481 75	2,028 10			223
Alexander	224	127 00			225 00		352 00	1,794 95	441 75	80 00	1,273 20		1,746 63	12,372 22			224
Sidell	225	218 00			65 00	180 00	493 00	1,198 19	967 15	66 00	149 51	15 50	1,431 45	3,827 10			225
Scottville	226	4 00				50 00	54 00	375 29	237 19	60 00	81 10		217 10	1,855 30			226
Benevolent	227	108 00					108 00	733 90	701 70	32 20			494 92	4,737 65			227
Jim Fleming	228						96 00	371 00	225 75	90 00	55 35		299 03	1,810 40			228
Illinois City	229	90 00				100 00	229 00	1,302 62	494 15	160 25	618 12		1,285 62	7,467 73			229
Hickory Grove ..	230	129 00			60 50	1,778 65	3,818 15	7,821 80	4,965 82	2,307 00	571 57	38 00	5,915 24	13,592 90			230
Praha	231	301 00	175 00				1,573 00	1,583 40	1,525 75	531 50	1,625 65	2,473 60	3,715 23	33,160 65			231
Hope	232	1,030 00			443 00	100 00	1,573 00	1,148 65	169 00	47 75	413 40	97 00	1,088 15	6,805 20			232
Carbondale	233	166 00					88 00	363 20	369 00	69 60	73 26		1,080 97	1,080 97			233
West Jersey	234	78 00			10 00		178 00	1,233 74	354 11		341 63	538 00	1,311 03	2,752 94			234
Monitor	245	178 00					178 00	851 45	731 32	79 00		51 25	855 65	3,716 82			245
Alledo	246	57 00			15 00	35 00	107 00	1,490 72	637 32	196 50	356 90	300 00	1,388 61	7,895 65			246
Treasury	237	76 00			20 00		96 00	2,553 81	1,211 10	243 00	1,060 83	68 41	1,754 28	6,547 00			237
Pearwood	238	365 00				133 90	438 90	2,543 67	1,738 17	132 00		675 50	2,401 57	8,743 02			238
Freeport	239	461 00			203 50		1,094 00	2,711 00	9,353 65	444 50	5,166 50		8,201 26	89,769 60			239
Cook County	240	295 00			73 55		2,711 00	1,764 66	764 56	965 75		3 43	684 79	3,249 11			240
Southern	241	66 00					13										
Williams	242						3,397 07	6,185 13	5,326 50	484 70	231 38	112 55	4,798 00	9,136 13			242
Urania	243	86 00			176 55	2,264 50	45 00	1,093 63	498 55	15 00	540 00	40 38	592 83	7,851 66			243
Wyoming	244	180 00			17 00		9 00	231 40	55 10	139 20		37 10	145 48	1,153 43			244
North Fork	245	9 00					231 40	1,129 14	106 35	660 00			1,746 13	1,954 97			245
Maywood	246	212 00			12 00	75 00	299 00	1,895 49					1,746 13				246
	247																247
Asbury	248																248
Union	249	175 00					319 78	1,541 00	489 00	33 00	1,019 60		994 88	14,592 50			249
Mound City	250	18 00		111 75			18 00	184 58			280 00		250 00	7,190 00			250
Belknap	251	231 00					381 00	467 41	281 30	463 73	36 35		616 63	2,495 47			251
Tomer	252	37 00			70 00		307 00	867 57	433 51	32 00	362 00	40 00	907 21	5,700 57			252

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Farmers' Prairie View	253	Milford	Iroquois	Saturday	77	...	1	...	2	...	...	7	...	2	69	...	28	9	59	...	283	
Forest	254	Longview	Champaign	Monday	83	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	31	...	14	8	120	...	294	
Maquon	255	Wapella	DeWitt	Saturday	129	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	136	...	44	14	130	...	295	
Grove	256	Maquon	Knock	Wednesday	72	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	73	1	1	1	59	1	296	
Charter Oak	257	Morrison	Whiteside	Tuesday	231	38	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	265	...	51	10	3	...	297	
Ridgely	258	Bunker Hill	Macoupin	Saturday	67	12	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	77	1	35	7	12	...	298	
Atlas	259	Warren	Jo Daviess	Tuesday	84	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	86	...	31	28	...	...	299	
Pontiac	260	Mattoon	Coles	Tuesday	386	10	3	3	...	...	...	9	...	...	4	396	6	61	33	320	...	300
New Hope	261	Chicago	Cook	Wednesday	321	4	1	...	...	...	...	23	...	...	2	...	...	52	28	...	...	301
Parkersburg	262	Pontiac	Livingston	Thursday	247	13	5	1	1	...	...	9	...	...	251	2	51	30	183	...	302	
Stillman Valley	263	Blandinsville	McDonough	Monday	131	5	1	4	2	...	...	9	...	...	126	...	33	10	50	...	303	
Rochester	264	DeSoto	Jackson	Wednesday	64	2	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	68	...	21	14	53	...	304	
Liberty	265	Parkersburg	Richland	Thursday	30	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	5	16	...	305	
La Clyde	266	Stillman Valley	Ogle	Tuesday	70	17	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	86	...	15	2	4	...	306	
Fort Schmitt	267	Millersburg	Mercer	Saturday	124	4	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	123	...	82	8	41	...	307	
Bible Grove	268	Rochester	Sangamon	Thursday	47	10	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	67	...	32	5	21	...	308	
Shelby	269	Elmhurst	Jersey	Saturday	33	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	...	91	5	64	...	309	
Grove City	270	Golden	Adams	Tuesday	106	14	2	5	2	...	...	1	...	...	130	...	40	5	29	...	310	
Milmine	271	Chicago	Cook	Saturday	143	11	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	147	...	13	...	...	...	311	
Milton	272	Chicago	Cook	Wednesday	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	312
Webber	273	Marlow	Jefferson	Tuesday	92	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	...	15	...	...	...	313	
Warren Park	274	Chicago	Cook	Thursday	134	1	...	...	1	...	...	6	...	...	125	...	39	12	154	...	314	
Wicker Park	275	Waukegan	Shelby	Tuesday	82	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	79	...	34	5	18	...	315	
Bridgeport	276	Grove City	Christian	Saturday	107	5	...	...	1	...	...	4	...	...	106	...	39	5	24	...	316	
Wenona	277	Milmine	Platt	Thursday	81	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	73	...	24	5	91	...	317	
Charity	278	Milton	Pike	Friday	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	318
Egypt's Star	279	Marlow	Jefferson	Closed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	319
Humboldt	280	Cleora	Cook	Saturday	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	...	14	7	63	...	320	
Liberty	281	Cleora	Cook	Monday	15	90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	107	...	6	4	...	...	321	
Kenwood	282	Chicago	Cook	Wednesday	300	18	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	305	...	40	27	322	...	322	
Wenona	283	Waukegan	Washington	Saturday	49	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	51	...	31	10	37	...	323	
Charity	284	Wenona	Marshall	Monday	73	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	74	...	21	7	21	...	324	
Egypt's Star	285	Benton	Franklin	Thursday	145	17	2	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	164	3	38	10	60	...	325	
Humboldt	286	Red Bud	Randolph	Wednesday	79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	...	12	...	...	...	326	
Liberty	287	Masontown	St. Clair	Monday	28	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	83	...	30	14	42	...	327	
Kenwood	288	Liberty	Adams	Monday	82	3	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	80	...	36	6	43	...	328	
Kenwood	289	Chicago	Cook	Saturday	313	6	1	4	4	...	...	15	...	...	299	...	46	18	253	1	329	

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Farmers'...	253	198 00			29 00	58 00	285 00	508 10	334 10		125 00	49 00	028 36	8,912 95			256
Prairie View...	254	36 00		5 00	20 00	180 00	191 00	195 77	195 77	15 00	147 00	.....	306 71	700 00	.....	.....	257
Forest...	255	380 00		5 00	.....	100 00	490 00	731 60	572 50	.....	.....	16 48	805 11	2,491 86	.....	.....	258
Maquon...	256	9 00		.....	.....	50 00	59 00	285 48	220 00	49 00	.....	.....	315 68	1,116 84	.....	.....	259
Grove...	257	177 00		.....	.....	100 00	277 00	3,229 66	1,213 90	651 00	1,321 41	32 18	3,070 73	10,677 15	.....	.....	260
Charter Oak...	258	36 00		.....	7 00	111 45	155 35	722 43	449 25	185 00	.....	.....	428 01	2,331 79	.....	.....	261
Ridgely...	259	81 00		.....	.....	50 00	134 00	711 65	407 10	33 60	.....	.....	728 18	4,517 14	.....	.....	262
Coles County...	260	960 83		.....	206 58	255 00	1,482 51	5,295 30	2,117 80	316 00	1,861 50	1,000 00	5,171 46	13,044 59	.....	.....	263
Atlas...	261	1,544 00		.....	16 50	952 30	2,512 80	3,232 00	2,728 90	115 00	225 00	163 10	4,181 53	5,983 90	.....	.....	264
Pontiac...	262	592 00		10 00	55 00	320 00	977 00	3,659 44	2,142 00	466 00	705 75	345 69	3,995 75	17,741 10	.....	.....	265
New Hope...	263	150 00		.....	91 65	100 00	344 65	891 67	660 50	62 25	72 42	96 50	848 09	2,828 37	.....	.....	266
DeSoto...	264	212 00		.....	48 80	20 25	281 05	566 20	404 00	22 00	140 26	.....	692 96	2,690 40	.....	.....	267
Parkersburg...	265	48 00		.....	.....	.....	48 00	75 00	70 00	5 00	.....	107 25	76 25	670 00	.....	.....	268
Stillman Valley...	266	47 12		.....	.....	80 00	127 12	706 61	338 35	261 00	.....	.....	341 17	2,525 03	.....	.....	269
Iris...	267	135 00		.....	325 00	100 00	560 00	590 40	482 70	85 00	22 70	.....	337 19	2,706 00	.....	.....	270
Rochester...	268	63 00		5 00	.....	.....	73 00	754 45	301 50	137 00	407 00	8 95	208 00	4,570 18	.....	.....	271
Elsh...	269	88 00		.....	.....	50 00	138 00	275 10	124 00	16 00	135 10	.....	321 23	3,298 00	.....	.....	272
LaClyde...	270	88 00		.....	.....	50 00	138 00	906 25	512 75	213 50	180 00	.....	1,114 86	3,129 50	.....	.....	273
Fortschritt...	271	434 00		.....	25 00	350 00	809 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	274
Bible Grove...	272			.....	.....	.....	.....	365 58	149 58	123 00	.....	.....	217 11	384 26	.....	.....	275
Shelby...	273			.....	10 00	81 00	492 00	1,557 45	693 70	22 25	332 00	509 50	1,303 63	14,083 22	.....	.....	276
Grove City...	274	401 60		.....	.....	.....	54 00	327 72	301 07	29 25	1 50	.....	255 31	3,108 42	.....	.....	277
Milne...	275	54 00		.....	.....	60 00	122 00	396 60	327 60	75 00	284 00	.....	344 27	3,668 36	.....	.....	278
Milton...	276	72 00		.....	.....	.....	203 00	350 50	270 50	5 00	75 00	.....	871 03	1,822 48	.....	.....	279
Compromise...	277	203 00		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	280
Webber...	278	151 00		.....	12 00	100 00	326 00	200 70	156 44	.....	44 35	.....	385 12	345 58	.....	.....	281
Warren Park...	279	45 00		.....	10 00	.....	55 00	1,863 16	486 25	1,376 00	3 16	2 75	1,296 61	1,080 75	.....	.....	282
Wicker Park...	280	105 00		.....	86 15	842 55	2,025 70	3,827 31	2,356 09	324 25	474 00	173 00	3,752 90	10,529 83	.....	.....	283
Bridgeport...	281	109 00		.....	20 00	.....	131 00	377 55	263 75	34 00	80 10	.....	398 80	1,610 15	.....	.....	284
Wenona...	282	111 00		.....	68 80	.....	141 80	392 80	312 80	19 50	.....	30 50	238 03	912 48	.....	.....	285
Charity...	283	73 00		.....	.....	90 00	316 00	1,155 95	785 05	328 00	42 00	.....	729 83	4,754 41	.....	.....	286
Charity's Star...	284	171 00		10 00	45 00	.....	316 00	156 25	126 25	.....	30 00	.....	167 32	980 00	.....	.....	287
Egypt's Star...	285	.....		.....	.....	.....	450 00	1,372 25	650 50	98 00	519 00	104 75	1,291 23	3,429 12	.....	.....	288
Humboldt...	286	201 00		.....	9 00	240 00	450 00	1,372 25	375 50	36 00	175 00	.....	455 31	3,500 00	.....	.....	289
Liberty...	287	111 00					111 00	586 60	375 50	224 75	1,658 25	996 75	5,119 83	6,136 12			290
Kenwood...	288	928 00	20 00		206 00	480 00	1,634 00	5,202 25	2,322 50								291

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Arcola	259	Arcola	Douglas	Thursday	109	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	116	1	22	4	122	...	289
Livingston	280	Fairbury	Livingston	Tuesday	185	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	191	1	68	31	150	...	290
Hiaawatha	291	Anna	Union	Thursday	145	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	112	1	44	14	148	...	291
Golconda	292	Golconda	Pope	Tuesday	82	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	80	1	25	1	8	...	292
Mendota	293	Mendota	LaSalle	Monday	96	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	92	1	35	2	15	...	293
Shabbona	294	Earlville	LaSalle	Tuesday	83	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	86	1	35	7	8	...	294
River Grove	295	River Grove	Cook	Tuesday	110	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	108	1	12	11	117	...	295
Cabery	296	Cabery	Ford	Tuesday	34	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	45	13	115	...	296
Brocton	297	Brocton	Edgar	Saturday	130	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	132	1	5	8	55	...	297
Tonica	298	Tonica	LaSalle	Wednesday	119	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12	1	4	6	52	...	298
Cosmopolitan	299	Chicago	Cook	Monday	118	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	111	1	4	6	52	...	299
Mount Zion	300	Mount Zion	Macon	Tuesday	113	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	108	1	28	32	10	...	300
Will	301	Will	Will	Monday	113	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	83	1	11	1	10	...	301
Ashtley	302	Ashtley	Washington	Thursday	85	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	45	1	21	...	...	...	302
Concordia	303	Aurora	Kane	Thursday	43	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	45	1	21	...	...	...	303
Coal Valley	304	Coal Valley	Rock Island	Wednesday	43	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	45	1	21	...	...	...	304
...	305	...	...	Closed	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	305
Elkhart	306	Elkhart	Logan	Closed	45	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	57	1	14	1	70	...	306
Green Valley	307	Green Valley	Tazewell	Tuesday	47	17	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	61	1	22	4	28	...	307
Browning	308	Browning	Schuyler	Saturday	76	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	81	1	22	3	9	...	308
Unity	310	Mt Sterling	Brown	Monday	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	70	1	30	168	...	...	310
Olio	311	Eureka	Woodford	Thursday	74	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	70	1	30	168	...	...	311
Clayton	312	Spaulding	Marshall	Monday	33	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	33	1	30	168	...	...	312
Enfield	313	Enfield	White	Saturday	89	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	73	1	30	168	...	...	313
Maroa	314	Maroa	Macon	Tuesday	155	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	132	1	44	18	142	...	314
Macedonia	315	Macedonia	Hamilton	Saturday	97	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	99	1	47	18	142	...	315
Tuscola	316	Tuscola	Douglas	Tuesday	181	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	166	1	44	18	146	...	316
...	317	...	...	Closed	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	317
Niantic	318	Niantic	Macon	Tuesday	62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	55	1	30	...	...	...	318
McKinley Park	319	Chicago	Cook	Wednesday	223	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	225	1	60	25	152	...	319
20th Century	320	Chicago	Cook	Wednesday	89	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	82	1	20	4	12	...	320
Watson	321	Watson	Edinburgh	Thursday	39	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	42	1	15	2	61	...	321
Bushnell	322	Bushnell	McDonough	Thursday	154	33	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	103	1	52	11	34	...	322
Globe	323	Globe	Sangamon	Tuesday	76	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	80	1	32	2	6	...	323
Vernon	324	Vernon	Marion	Thursday	96	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	95	1	36	11	67	...	324

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Arcola.....	289	366 00					366 00	826 25	627 95	109 00		88 90	843 51	1,239 65			289
Livingston.....	290	392 00			15 00		317 00	2,022 60	926 00	169 00	838 76		2,024 61	14,735 00			290
Hlaawatha.....	291	286 00					286 00	2,200 81	721 21	38 00	1,441 60		1,010 46	9,260 48			291
Golconda.....	292	15 00			55 35		70 35	1,262 55	220 15	80 00	829 96		1,241 72	2,934 71			292
Mendota.....	293	101 00			83 00	50 00	234 00	709 73	451 00	40 00	134 83		505 07	3,317 48			293
Shabbona.....	294	121 00		5 00	12 00	50 00	183 00	656 11	530 61	9 20	62 00		1,518 53	1,518 53			294
Shabbona.....	295	533 00		5 00	30 00		568 00	1,137 79	835 83	75 00	166 80		1,182 29	1,961 48			295
Cabery.....	296				50	100 00	105 50	723 27	196 80		213 46	353 82	370 03	2,203 19			296
Brocton.....	297	460 00				75 00	535 00	723 40	608 40	30 00	23 00		695 00	1,708 82			297
Tonica.....	298							31 00	31 00				23 40	86 64			298
Cosmopolitan.....	299	488 00			40 00	480 00	1,008 00	1,569 99	746 90	279 00		484 45	1,615 72	1,182 73			299
Mount Zion.....	300	130 00			165 00	50 00	345 00	1,283 15	685 15		600 00		1,234 81	1,135 12			300
Will.....	301																301
Ashley.....	302	57 00				180 00	267 00	276 95	217 95	29 00		30 00	66 00	902 85			302
Concordia.....	303	30 00					30 00	291 10	177 40	12 00	102 00		183 00	2,118 50			303
Coal Valley.....	304							323 50	260 50	62 00		1 00					304
Coal Valley.....	305																305
Coal Valley.....	306																306
Elkhart.....	307	66 00					66 00	389 00	193 00	196 00			66 00	563 31			307
Green Valley.....	308	84 00					84 00	707 19	252 02	235 00	302 22	7 95	438 12	4,531 93			308
Browning.....	309	27 00			18 40		45 40	681 81	427 81	153 00	81 50	19 50					309
Unity.....	310																310
Ohio.....	311	278 00			7 50	47 50	333 00	580 18	415 50	30 00	71 68	69 00	631 99	1,906 16			311
Clayton.....	312	18 00			4 35		48 35	240 75	195 75	20 00	25 00		181 24	685 35			312
Enfield.....	313	138 00			25 00	170 00	333 00	409 29	381 59	11 00	13 70		416 00	1,075 00			313
Maroa.....	314	431 25			4 00	110 00	545 25	1,137 50	854 05	66 65	163 80	53 00	1,100 59	2,455 92			314
Macedonia.....	315	69 00		10 00		120 00	255 00	599 69	344 09	37 00	178 00		555 00	6,916 88			315
Tuscola.....	316	392 50				325 00	717 50	2,373 45	1,395 40	30 00	770 00	178 05	2,255 78	14,156 05			316
Niantic.....	317				5 10		5 10	418 86	206 70	15 00	197 10		285 58	2,218 53			317
Guiding Star.....	319	438 00			20 00	300 00	758 00	2,007 10	1,714 00	207 00	55 50		2,917 76	1,366 71			319
20th Century.....	320	72 00				182 00	254 00	850 62	740 53	100 00			337 95	1,249 56			320
Watson.....	321	175 00					175 00	903 35	163 60	36 15			248 70	501 65			321
Bushnell.....	322	170 00				100 00	301 83	2,709 13	1,013 73	839 00	572 00	284 40	1,357 47	6,006 71			322
Globe.....	323	27 00			7 50		34 50	477 70	469 70	38 00			264 47	1,510 74			323
Vernon.....	324	171 00			26 50	70 00	270 50	640 57	484 00	65 25	91 32		385 17	2,530 62			324

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John Ericsson Congress.....	381	Chicago.....	Cook	Monday.....	621	23	5							4	615	...	41	35	409	9	386
382 Chicago.....	199	Chicago.....	Cook	Monday.....	199	6	1	3						3	192	...	42	24	34	1	362
383 Williamsville.....	364	Williamsville.....	Shangamon	Tuesday.....	54				3						52	...	42	24	34	1	362
384 Philo.....	74	Philo.....	Champaign	Monday.....	74	4	1		2					1	70	...	34	1	4	...	384
385 Quincy.....	42	Quincy.....	Adams	Wednesday.....	42	2									41	...	19	5	11	1	396
386 Brighton.....	45	Brighton.....	Macoupin	Monday.....	45										40	...	17	...	...	...	397
387 El Dara.....	64	El Dara.....	Pike	Saturday.....	64	1	1								59	...	22	6	15	...	398
388 Athensville.....	169	Athensville.....	Greene	Saturday.....	169	13	17		1					1	135	...	36	15	101	8	368
389 Athensville.....	370	Bellefonte.....	St. Clair	Saturday.....	40			1							139	...	23	2	13	...	370
390 Erie.....	137	Yates City.....	Knox	Monday.....	137	2	2		1					1	131	...	41	8	37	...	371
391 Bardsloph.....	99	Bardsloph.....	McDonough	Tuesday.....	100	3	2		1						96	...	36	10	26	...	372
392 R. Scroggs.....	371	Bardsloph.....	Stephenson	Monday.....	371				1						20	...	11	...	...	...	373
393 Golden Rule.....	372	Franksville.....	St. Clair	Thursday.....	486	32	3		4					0	471	...	36	5	64	...	374
394 Eldorado.....	373	Paloma.....	Saline	Thursday.....	186	3	3	1						3	183	...	49	42	225	5	375
395 Eldorado.....	374	Eldorado.....	Saline	Monday.....	21	3			1					1	27	...	22	7	83	...	376
396 Davis.....	375	Davis.....	Stephenson	Tuesday.....	40		1	1						1	45	...	22	...	...	...	377
397 Minook.....	376	Minook.....	Woodford	Monday.....	30										47	...	22	...	...	...	378
398 Spring Valley.....	377	Spring Valley.....	Bureau	Tuesday.....	41	3								1	42	...	22	...	...	...	379
399 Good Will.....	378	Forest.....	Livingston	Wednesday.....	87				1					1	76	...	22	...	...	...	380
400 Guttenburg.....	380	Spring Valley.....	Bureau	Wednesday.....	88				1					1	89	...	21	...	...	...	381
401 Irvington.....	381	Irvington.....	Washington	Thursday.....	71	1			1					1	65	...	21	...	...	...	382
402 Martinon.....	382	Martinon.....	Washington	Friday.....	33				1						33	...	14	...	...	...	383
403 Clover.....	383	Woodnull.....	Iroquois	Saturday.....	114		7	1	1					1	117	...	40	...	...	...	384
404 Clay City.....	384	Clay City.....	Henry	Monday.....	70				2					3	65	...	18	...	...	...	385
405 Arrow.....	385	Harrisburg.....	Saline	Monday.....	157	15	3	5	1						180	...	31	14	138	...	386
406 Garden City.....	386	Chicago.....	Cook	Monday.....	89										92	...	32	...	...	...	387
407 Kankakee.....	387	Kankakee.....	Kankakee	Wednesday.....	46	8								1	92	...	32	...	...	...	388
408 Edina.....	388	Edina.....	LaSalle	Tuesday.....	438	10	1	5	1					0	54	...	28	...	...	...	389
409 Williams.....	389	Williams.....	Williamson	Saturday.....	135	13	5	2	11					1	111	...	37	...	...	...	390
410 Ozark.....	390	Ozark.....	Williamson	Friday.....	30										30	...	39	...	...	...	391
411 Rome.....	391	Rome.....	Jefferson	Saturday.....	98	4	2	3	1					5	99	...	39	...	...	...	392
412 Alliance.....	392	Albion.....	Williamson	Thursday.....	48	18								2	61	...	28	...	...	...	393
413 Fountain.....	393	Fountain.....	Williamson	Thursday.....	48	18								2	61	...	28	...	...	...	394

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John Ericsson.	351	1,656 00	70 00			1,638 70	2,851 80	9,001 96	5,061 35	388 00	1,215 00	1,899 61	9,965 70	27,657 27			198
Chagress.	352	1,040 00			30 00	390 00	1,370 00	2,318 55	1,675 45	130 00	168 00	370 10	2,843 74	3,150 72			352
Williamsville.	353	6 00			25 00		31 00	117 00	112 00	5 00			149 72	694 13			353
Milpali.	354	12 00				50 00	62 00	382 05	298 05	56 00	18 00	10 00	463 00	2,207 93			354
Adams.	355																355
Brighton.	356	33 00	30 00				63 00	491 65	312 15	14 00	165 50		544 41	2,111 64			356
El Dara.	357							297 50	140 50		127 00		140 48	1,261 17			357
Athensville.	358	15 00					45 00	247 71	155 99	17 00	64 92	9 80	179 81	1,893 70			358
Enterprise.	359	27 00	82 00	72 00		180 00	611 00	330 51	918 25	227 00	371 25	814 01	1,211 85	1,827 80			359
Yates City.	360	39 00				50 00	89 00	333 82	213 33	13 00	107 50		299 37	2,399 80			360
Barclay.	361	207 00				50 00	257 00	890 07	556 23	35 00	275 00	23 79	611 89	5,083 33			361
J. R. Scroggs.	362	101 00			41 00		118 00	1,068 07	338 41	21 00	628 16		577 52	13,857 75			362
Ezel.	363							40 00	36 00				54 55	256 41			363
Golden Rule.	364	1,140 00	27 75	5 00	424 65	915 42	2,512 82	4,669 70	4,020 70	469 00		180 06	3,030 54	15,876 12			364
Eldorado.	365	137 00				180 00	317 00	1,067 70	909 70	98 00	60 00		619 50	1,400 00			365
Davis.	366	48 00					48 00	420 25	109 50	70 00			433 68	2,096 09			366
Minook.	367	207 00					267 00	622 65	243 00	19 00	315 00	25 65	538 18	5,462 25			367
Spring Valley.	368	153 00			25 00		177 00	382 00	151 50	25 00	241 00		338 16	745 58			368
Good Will.	369	110 00				60 00	170 00	611 35	370 35	6 00			470 83	607 37			369
Guttenburg.	370	169 50			32 00	60 00	261 50	681 80	675 80	20 00	4 00	2 00	136 09	3,617 37			370
Irvington.	371	43 00		2 00		50 00	95 00	335 20	349 20		174 75		365 50	2,340 00			371
Marlinton.	372	96 00				382 00	96 00	288 34	113 59		330 25		736 17	5,288 70			372
Clover.	373	228 00					228 00	754 21	403 46	20 50			862 98	5,701 35			373
Clay City.	374	31 00			2 75	80 00	113 75	944 73	263 80		480 00	560 93					374
Arrow.	375				91 00		307 00	2,379 79	998 90	337 40	1,041 71	1 75	891 26	9,090 98			375
Garden City.	376					200 00	330 00	1,139 50	809 50	160 00	100 00	10 00	1,008 47	3,865 78			376
Kankakee.	377							20 00	864 20	114 00	100 00	66 00	359 73	2,667 41			377
Edina.	378	143 80				660 00	2,968 10	4,918 31	3,114 66	166 80	983 75	673 10	4,575 54	12,403 47			378
Williamson.	379	69 00			20 00		89 00	983 45	583 70	245 00	153 73	1 00	767 18	6,929 07			379
Ozark.	380																380
Rome.	381	16 00					26 00	277 00	110 00		163 00	4 00	141 63	2,177 46			381
Alliance.	382	45 00		10 00	47 25		92 25	1,464 13	542 30	65 40	794 65	29 78	1,894 73	13,009 81			382
Fountain.	383	65 99				150 00	215 99	544 97	270 42	269 65	4 90		683 43	1,164 49			383

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Moore's Prairie.	397	Opdyke	Jefferson	Saturday	33	2	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	33	...	18	1	...	...	397
Huten	398	Chicago	Cook	Wednesday	69	10	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	77	...	30	6	25	...	398
Sunny Side	399	Lake City	Moultrie	Thursday	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	399
Bloomington	400	Bloomington	McLean	Friday	317	4	3	1	2	...	...	15	...	...	307	1	57	35	185	...	400
Flat Rock	401	Flat Rock	Crawford	Friday	116	7	...	1	...	1	1	14	...	...	101	...	19	11	117	...	401
Eagle	402	Chicago	Cook	Tuesday	241	21	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	28	...	45	21	161	1	402
Selah	403	Monkello	Platt	Tuesday	171	4	4	...	2	1	...	9	...	1	166	...	13	7	34	...	403
Wagoner	404	Montgomery	Montgomery	Wednesday	81	2	1	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	80	...	13	5	16	...	404
Apollo	405	Makanda	Jackson	Tuesday	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	405
Kempton	406	Kempton	Ford	Thursday	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	...	15	...	...	...	406
Lily of the West	407	Chicago	Cook	Thursday	211	8	...	1	2	...	...	6	...	...	206	...	23	17	158	...	407
Galva	408	Galva	Henry	Monday	112	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	110	...	52	2	6	1	408
Rose	409	Carman	Henderson	Saturday	89	4	...	...	1	...	...	4	...	...	88	...	46	3	25	...	409
Allemanin	410	Menota	LaSalle	Thursday	43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	...	15	6	72	...	410
Bentley	412	Carthage	Hancock	Monday	257	14	19	...	2	...	...	6	...	1	280	...	57	23	80	...	412
Taylorville	413	Taylorville	Christian	Thursday	144	5	...	...	2	6	...	2	...	5	136	...	31	17	81	...	413
Dutton City	414	Dutton City	Moultrie	Thursday	93	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	98	...	38	1	...	...	414
Murrayville	415	Murrayville	Morgan	Monday	97	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	101	...	38	10	16	...	415
Home	416	Chicago	Cook	Wednesday	131	7	1	...	...	1	...	4	...	...	180	...	62	16	310	...	416
Beacon Light	417	Grand Tower	Jackson	Tuesday	76	3	2	1	2	...	...	...	...	4	65	...	20	3	15	...	417
Paxton	418	Paxton	Ford	Monday	121	4	1	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	119	...	15	1	3	...	418
Dale	419	Dale	Hamilton	Tuesday	57	5	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	60	...	7	5	19	...	419
Greenwood	420	Alton	Madison	Tuesday	80	13	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	93	...	41	13	36	...	420
Greenview	422	Greenview	Menard	Monday	130	1	2	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	130	...	31	...	...	...	422
Silvis	423	Silvis	Rock Island	Thursday	142	10	1	...	4	...	...	8	...	...	142	...	11	15	133	...	423
Allen Springs	425	Dixon Springs	Pope	Thursday	16	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	425
Crecent	426	Caveville	St. Clair	Thursday	51	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	45	...	...	...	...	...	426
Nebo	427	Nebo	Pike	Friday	74	21	1	2	1	...	...	3	...	2	94	...	81	5	57	...	427
Pence	428	Princeton	Bureau	Tuesday	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	428
Marble City	429	Lemont	Cook	Tuesday	83	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	76	...	26	8	96	...	429
Herrin	430	Herrin	Williamson	Monday	161	13	13	3	1	...	...	13	...	2	177	...	29	21	126	...	430
O'Fallon	431	O'Fallon	St. Clair	Thursday	69	24	2	1	...	...	...	4	...	...	182	...	21	11	63	...	431
Douglas	432	Chicago	Cook	Tuesday	121	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	83	...	41	11	71	...	432

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Huten	398	103 00					100 00	203 00	819 00	589 50	180 00	49 50		632 25	2,086 78			398
Sunny Side	399								4,028 23	2,379 65	44 00	1,513 58	61 00	3,003 15	13,618 16			399
Bloomington	400	521 00		30 00	170 30	10 00	483 50	1,204 80	302 91	154 71	107 20	101 00		605 34	88 84			400
Flat Rock	401	272 00						282 00	817 50	1,482 00	474 35	247 54	38 00	2,619 15	6,125 08			401
Eagle	402	658 00				57 00	102 50	817 50	2,241 85	1,482 00				2,619 15	6,125 08			402
Setah	403	180 00					50 00	230 00	2,092 71	812 95	63 75			1,860 95	12,798 13			403
	404	32 00				10 00		42 60	418 10	372 40	34 00		11 70	310 47	1,507 21			404
Apollo	405																	405
Kempton	406								173 90	84 00		89 90		348 55	1,367 03			406
Lily of the West.	407	697 00				263 75	961 75	1,922 50	7,323 86	2,906 20	196 75	3,759 00	401 91	7,365 00	17,280 80			407
Galva	408	12 00	15 00			11 50		188 30	1,995 40	547 31	10 20	1,437 99		2,336 76	10,107 79			408
Rose	409	81 00		10 00		95 10		189 10	749 78	442 90	64 50	57 00	185 38	613 79	2,718 06			409
Allemania	410					25 00	80 00	314 00	770 52	966 15		504 37		704 68	7,260 15			410
Bentley	411	184 00		25 00					2,016 23	1,882 35	203 50	1,330 38		2,349 38	18,805 12			411
Taylorville	412	320 00		10 00		15 00	375 90	714 90	839 51	731 76	76 00	30 00	1 75	1,352 45			412	
Dalton City	413	324 00							903 50	372 93		40 57		1,774 47	4,029 03			413
Murrayville	414							48 00	1,053 90	490 00	117 00	355 90	91 00	1,983 62	5,662 69			414
Home	415	48 00		78 38		74 66	375 00	1,208 44	2,458 93	1,862 13	144 00	410 25	102 55	2,618 51	7,876 10			415
Beacon Light	416	741 00				15 00	60 00	130 00	513 23	173 00	57 25	382 98		506 46	2,724 54			416
Paxton	417	45 00						9 00	553 00	336 50	44 00	145 00	7 50	553 00	1,216 00			417
	418	9 00					25 00	63 00	336 50	263 60	73 00			124 39	376 98			418
	419	38 00																419
Greenwood	420							144 00	1,549 00	560 00	174 00	275 00	600 00	954 00	6,225 00			420
Greenview	421	144 00							893 45	771 40	30 00	162 05		548 51	2,927 55			421
Silvis	422								1,089 96	794 50	166 25	116 00	13 21	1,312 09	981 99			422
Allen Springs	423	569 00				18 00		587 00	400 00	32 00	8 00			24 00	625 00			423
	424							18 00	481 50	306 50		56 25	118 75	573 20	3,983 33			424
Crescent	425	214 00		4 65			80 00	298 65	548 52	212 02	336 50			503 92	2,332 18			425
Nebo	426																	426
Peace	427																	427
Marble City	428																	428
Herrin	429	304 50				47 00	50 00	177 00	571 50	449 50	56 00	55 00	11 00	450 75	2,453 58			429
O'Fallon	430	264 00				95 00	100 00	619 50	1,387 50	821 50	126 00	440 00		778 30	1,310 56			430
	431	290 00	5 00			93 23		248 33	1,435 50	474 50	461 00	500 00		922 89	3,448 75			431
	432					63 50	553 00	976 50	1,403 25	1,191 50	84 00	127 20	55	1,480 35	1,448 78			432

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Galatia.....	433	Galatia.....	Saline.....	Tuesday.....	133	14	4	1	1	..	..	2	..	..	148	..	34	25	126	..	433
Junction.....	434	Junction.....	Gallatin.....	Monday.....	77	7	1	2	..	..	..	3	2	1	81	1	27	6	..	..	434
Pride of the Valley.....	435	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.....	Monday.....	420	20	5	..	5	..	..	27	..	5	412	..	37	53	81	2	435
Fayette.....	436	St. Elmo.....	Fayette.....	Friday.....	145	9	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	1	151	..	37	13	381	..	436
Fellowship.....	437	New Bedford.....	Bureau.....	Tuesday.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	437
Ramsey.....	438	Ramsey.....	Fayette.....	Saturday.....	119	5	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	121	..	26	5	25	..	438
Meridian.....	439	Villa Ridge.....	Pulaski.....	Saturday.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	439
Templar.....	440	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Wednesday.....	56	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	55	..	32	2	7	..	440
Pawnee.....	441	Pawnee.....	Sangamon.....	Thursday.....	75	3	1	..	1	..	..	9	..	1	64	..	23	3	4	..	441
Massac.....	442	Metropolis.....	Massac.....	Thursday.....	126	3	1	..	1	..	..	5	..	1	127	1	39	17	113	1	442
West Liberty.....	443	West Liberty.....	Jasper.....	Thursday.....	74	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	78	..	31	2	8	..	443
Calhoun.....	444	Hardin.....	Calhoun.....	Tuesday.....	33	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	33	..	21	6	97	..	444
Clear Lake.....	445	Riverton.....	Sangamon.....	Tuesday.....	67	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	69	..	46	23	138	2	445
First Scandinavian.....	446	Galesburg.....	Knox.....	Tuesday.....	215	6	..	1	2	..	..	7	2	4	200	..	41	1	8	..	446
Filson.....	447	Filson.....	Douglas.....	Saturday.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	66	..	9	3	8	..	447
Gresham.....	448	S. Englewood.....	Cook.....	Thursday.....	56	11	2	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	87	..	91	6	10	..	448
Silurian.....	449	Grafton.....	Jersey.....	Thursday.....	76	13	2	1	..	1	..	1	..	2	55	..	23	2	27	..	449
Lakeview.....	450	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Wednesday.....	136	7	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	1	135	..	35	6	32	..	450
Crysal.....	451	Crystal Lake.....	McHenry.....	Friday.....	118	12	2	2	1	..	..	2	..	1	129	..	11	4	18	..	451
Relief.....	452	Cobden.....	Union.....	Friday.....	63	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	69	..	21	4	4	..	452
Gays.....	453	Gays.....	Moultrie.....	Saturday.....	69	2	2	..	1	..	..	2	..	1	235	1	34	15	54	..	453
Mt. Pulaski.....	454	Mt. Pulaski.....	Logan.....	Monday.....	230	8	2	4	..	..	..	16	..	..	155	..	26	15	83	..	454
Bervyn.....	455	Bervyn.....	Cook.....	Tuesday.....	156	5	6	4	..	..	..	2	..	..	23	..	19	..	..	..	455
Model.....	456	Thomson.....	Carroll.....	Monday.....	21	3	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	40	..	19	..	..	..	456
Sincerity.....	457	Pontoosuc.....	Hancock.....	Thursday.....	40	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	81	..	30	6	24	..	457
Morrissonville.....	458	Ripley.....	Brown.....	Saturday.....	84	5	..	..	2	..	..	5	..	2	37	..	13	4	25	..	458
Saybrook.....	459	Morrisonville.....	Christian.....	Friday.....	39	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	459
Pleasant Hill.....	460	Saybrook.....	McLean.....	Tuesday.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	460
Casner.....	461	Pleasant Hill.....	Pike.....	Cons.....	57	6	1	..	..	..	..	16	..	2	76	..	24	5	30	..	461
Odell.....	462	Casner.....	Macon.....	Wednesday.....	80	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	..	70	..	29	3	45	1	462
Springfield.....	463	Odell.....	Livingston.....	Saturday.....	80	9	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	1	86	..	29	5	37	..	463
Upper Alton.....	464	Springfield.....	Sangamon.....	Tuesday.....	314	25	3	5	2	1	..	20	1	4	310	..	58	20	114	2	464
Palm.....	465	Chicago.....	Madison.....	Monday.....	78	4	2	1	..	..	..	4	..	1	80	..	32	6	..	..	465
Florida.....	466	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Thursday.....	206	15	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	6	205	..	34	18	111	..	466
Florida.....	467	Grand Chate.....	Pulaski.....	Tuesday.....	30	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	..	21	..	11	..	..	..	467
Florida.....	468	Grand Chate.....	Pulaski.....	Tuesday.....	30	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	..	21	..	11	..	..	..	468

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Galatia	433	379 00			25 00		404 00	1,021 08	570 80	189 00	262 00		2,053 61	6,234 95			433
Juncheon	434	84 00			37 70	130 00	251 70	659 01	398 81	101 40	158 80		599 53	7,991 97			434
Pride of the Valley	435	1,290 00	10 50		134 55	616 30	2,065 65	4,330 12	3,519 60	409 00		1 00	3,047 83	7,815 29			435
Fayette	436	188 00				67 25	257 35	757 65	512 15	132 00	113 50		163 51	3,045 00			436
Fellowship	437																437
Rayney	438	84 00					84 00	719 65	491 40	133 50	39 50	55 25	714 06	3,322 00			438
Meridian	439						180 80	946 50	307 50	82 50	87 50	409 00	1,138 38	2,959 18			439
Temper	440	20 00			60 80	100 00	180 80	313 20	197 60	18 00	41 60		295 73	798 61			440
Pawnee	441	12 00			17 80	10 00	39 30	313 20	197 60	18 00	41 60		295 73	798 61			441
Massac	442	393 00	10 10		32 15	97 50	544 75	1,167 46	749 33	68 00	350 13		1,885 23	6,919 59			442
West Liberty	443	24 00					24 00	643 75	263 75	55 00	225 00		799 16	2,375 65			443
Calhoun	444	18 00			206 25	50 00	334 25	426 40	123 50	20 00	282 90		334 25	2,461 57			444
Clear Lake	445	81 00			139 00		211 00	451 10	379 10	72 00			547 35	2,461 57			445
First Scandinavian	446	506 00	5 50		15 25	242 64	769 39	3,250 61	1,250 73	69 00	1,450 80	480 09	3,223 80	11,173 05			446
Filson	447	24 00			10 00		34 00	481 90	316 90	163 00			335 83	858 08			447
Gresham	448	60 00			60 00	50 00	170 00	885 90	595 90	240 00			500 50	2,300 58			448
Silurian	449	52 75			175 00		323 00	908 00	250 00	19 00	339 00		563 00	2,728 70			449
Lakeside	450	118 00					12 00	974 00	593 75	200 75	179 50		618 46	2,062 71			450
Crystal	451	21 00					21 00	310 03	206 43	103 60			419 52	516 08			451
Relief	452	12 00			7 10	90 00	235 10	497 05	321 80	49 00	741 25	56 25	436 88	2,228 92			452
Gays	453	138 00					253 90	2,407 75	1,534 00	192 50			853 01	12,870 95			453
Mt. Putski	454	216 00					292 00	1,078 12	889 50	158 25		39 37	1,116 26	1,029 50			454
Berwyn	455	292 00					292 00	1,078 12	889 50	158 25			1,116 26	1,029 50			455
Thomson	456						50 00	167 80	114 05	37 25	16 50		135 83	372 90			456
Model	457						50 00	421 85	169 50	60 00	192 35		339 58	2,898 16			457
Sincerity	458	71 00					131 00	506 35	330 50	75 00	110 85		398 24	20,611 49			458
Morrisonville	459	87 00					247 00	925 25	158 25	21 50	45 50		254 00	1,535 42			459
Saybrook	460						233 00	538 25	420 05	118 20			516 91	2,148 78			460
Pan American	461				25 00	100 00	233 00	538 25	420 05	118 20			516 91	2,148 78			461
Pleasant Hill	462	108 00					205 06	988 10	403 80	158 00	21 00		267 00	2,459 63			462
Casper	463	135 00					180 25	572 80	403 80	158 00			501 63	4,928 73			463
Odell	464	111 00			10 00		321 55	2,876 80	1,956 60	47 25	116 00		2,230 63	4,985 63			464
Springfield	465	382 00	32 80		197 75	309 00	921 55	2,876 80	1,956 60	47 25	116 00		2,230 63	4,985 63			465
Upper Alton	466	27 00			15 00	180 00	222 00	726 34	436 35	85 00	145 00		740 66	3,515 46			466
Palm	467	579 00			53 25	773 00	1,405 25	2,221 90	1,558 15	329 00	301 75	6 00	2,615 44	7,129 07			467
Florida	468						382 25		133 25	14 00	235 00		322 25	3,410 00			468

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Newman	469	Newman	Douglas	Tuesday	149	2	1	...	...	...	9	...	2	143	...	30	14	53	...	469
Nyrtle	470	Middletown	Logan	Tuesday	49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	69	...	24	5	23	...	470
Piper	471	Piper City	Ford	Monday	62	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	69	...	24	5	23	...	471
Omaha	472	Omaha	Gallatin	Saturday	47	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	41	...	15	2	11	...	472
Sidney	473	Sidney	Champaign	Wednesday	47	1	...	1	...	...	6	...	1	40	...	20	1	3	...	473
Beethoven	474	Beethoven	LaSalle	Thursday	116	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	45	...	30	4	16	...	474
Crab Orchard	475	Crab Orchard	Williamson	Thursday	101	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	116	1	22	6	83	1	475
Raymond	476	Raymond	Montgomery	Monday	72	4	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	82	...	31	3	4	...	476
Olympia	477	Chicago	Cook	Tuesday	129	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	126	...	36	14	67	...	477
Veritas	478	Galesburg	Knox	Thursday	90	2	1	3	...	...	3	...	1	88	...	38	9	58	...	478
North Shore	479	Chicago	Cook	Friday	204	11	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	210	...	48	26	52	...	479
Helvella	480	East St. Louis	St. Clair	Friday	241	42	1	...	...	...	10	1	4	271	1	48	32	227	1	480
Arenzville	481	Arenzville	Cass	Thursday	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	481
Noble	482	Noble	Richland	Tuesday	76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	...	25	...	...	...	482
Heyworth	483	Heyworth	McLean	Friday	152	3	...	...	...	...	10	...	2	113	...	62	...	...	...	483
Southwestern	484	Chicago	Cook	Monday	304	20	4	5	1	...	26	...	2	296	...	22	12	84	1	484
Manufacturers	485	Moline	Rock Island	Tuesday	444	28	2	4	1	...	10	...	...	381	...	69	57	381	...	485
Dahlgren	486	Dahlgren	Hamilton	Saturday	94	11	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	105	1	34	1	14	...	486
Jewett	487	Jewett	Cumberland	Monday	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	487
South Park	488	Chicago	Cook	Monday	250	15	...	...	...	...	12	...	3	250	...	42	25	346	4	488
Morning Star	489	Fitchburg	Vermilion	Saturday	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	489
Manlius	490	Seneca	LaSalle	Conc.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	490
Century	491	Carpentersville	Kane	Thursday	23	15	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	40	...	11	...	...	...	491
Schuyler	492	Brooklyn	Schuyler	Wednesday	98	7	...	1	...	...	6	...	...	100	...	31	16	123	...	492
Round Hill	493	Saline Mines	Gallatin	Saturday	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	97	...	61	3	61	...	493
Banner	494	Bradwood	Will	Wednesday	24	5	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	97	...	8	3	16	...	494
A. C. Marsh	495	West Frankfort	Franklin	Saturday	41	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	39	...	8	3	10	...	495
Eberle	496	Hopkinton	Effingham	Thursday	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	496
Hopkinton	497	Hopkinton	Vermilion	Monday	64	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	65	...	22	5	21	...	497
Federal	498	Danville	Vermilion	Monday	147	14	1	1	...	...	7	...	...	153	...	86	13	268	...	498
Alamont	499	Alamont	Effingham	Tuesday	96	9	4	1	1	...	1	...	1	100	...	34	9	97	1	499
Palmer	500	Palmer	Christian	Thursday	39	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	...	19	...	...	...	500
Corinth	501	Corinth	Williamson	Saturday	77	3	1	...	...	...	4	...	1	73	2	...	2	11	...	501
Garden Prairie	502	Garden Prairie	Boone	Tuesday	94	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	100	1	38	9	54	1	502
503	503	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47	...	23	4	11	...	503
504	504	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	151	3	29	18	65	...	504

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Newman	469	159 00			136 00	180 00	475 00	271 50	371 50				245 30	26 20			469
Myrtle	470				41 00		110 00	428 00	328 83	38 00	60 00	11 75	460 00	3,006 11			470
Piper	471	69 00					33 00	183 25	140 25	15 00	32 00		296 31	860 00			471
Omaha	472	33 00			10 00	50 00	69 00	370 35	250 35	14 00	100 00		111 00	2,470 70			472
Sidney	473	9 00	13 40		9 20		70 60	440 05	276 90		147 50	15 65	392 71	1,256 10			473
Beethoven	474	48 00				80 00	264 00	703 07	509 02	173 45	20 00		449 20	400 00			474
Crab Orchard	475	162 00	10 00		12 50		20 50	407 30	313 05	94 25			265 73	1,643 95			475
Raymond	476	8 00					47 70	1,173 60	888 50	43 00	241 00	1 10	1,270 48	5,509 66			476
Olympia	477	375 00	200 00		67 00		418 00	1,231 67	536 00	42 00	532 83	120 80	964 36	8,373 28			477
Veritas	478	276 00	10 00		57 75		1,066 15	3,321 40	2,245 00	185 00	878 00	13 40	2,349 05	17,651 47			478
First Swedish	479	910 00			88 40		1,254 75	3,510 35	2,371 25	619 00	148 00	372 10	1,650 20	7,965 10			479
Helvetia	480	844 55	50 00		49 50												480
Arenzville	481																481
Noble	482					50 00		259 25	259 25				283 00	860 30			482
Heyworth	483	169 00	15 00		15 55		349 55	1,371 77	895 00	18 00	452 50	6 27	949 40	5,783 03			483
Southwestern	484	426 00	150 00		101 50	200 00	877 50	2,813 40	2,181 66	452 06	179 74		3,139 31	7,674 05			484
Manufacturers	485	1,719 00		12 50	20 00	306 00	2,081 50	3,867 30	2,656 00	429 00	300 70	481 60	3,702 00	8,317 90			485
Dallgren	486	42 00					42 00	1,776 30	458 60	181 00	159 00	974 70	1,157 91	3,265 91			486
Jewett	487																487
South Park	488	412 00	37 55	27 15	37 94	451 00	965 64	2,475 68	2,048 90	328 50	64 28	34 00	2,286 89	3,583 33			488
Norming Star	489																489
Justus	490																490
Manlius	491					21 00	24 00	367 75	622 15	235 00	99 75		201 19	392 10			491
Century	492	329 00					329 00	1,762 10	1,022 15	116 00	839 75	274 20	1,945 05	3,499 31			492
Schuyler	493	182 00				100 00	282 00										493
Round Hill	494	48 00					63 00	149 10	109 10	40 06			00 01	1,163 29			494
Banner	495	48 00			2 50	50 00	98 00	413 00	193 00		220 06		471 44	3,860 25			495
A. C. Marsh	496																496
Eberle	497	104 00	20 00			50 00	174 00	920 20	220 00		20		50	1,240 00			497
Hoopeston	498	492 00			147 53		639 53	1,712 80	891 00	180 00	215 75	425 58	1,495 39	3,092 26			498
Federal	499	284 00	50 00		20 00	8 50	362 50	578 75	771 75	107 06			1,021 60	8,322 16			499
Altamont	500								156 00		12 00		31 88	283 79			500
Palmer	501	33 00			5 21	80 00	118 21	717 66	331 16	45 50	341 00		757 90	4,253 04			501
Corinth	502	130 00	10 00			75 00	245 00	612 70	486 85	114 00	11 85		1,822 45	555 08			502
Garden Prairie	503	33 00			3 00	55 00	91 00	243 57	200 95		42 37	65	165 06	1,000 07			503
Great Springs	504	196 55			71 50		268 05	731 25	535 55	195 70			420 73	3,545 52			504

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Mannie	505	Maunie.	White.	Thursday	446	21	1	2	...	...	...	1	...	6	460	...	53	40	182	...	506
New Chicago	506	Chicago	Cook	Monday	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	507
...	507	...	...	Cons.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	508
Sinissippi	508	Prophetstown	Whiteside	Wednesday	65	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	...	20	11	82	...	509
Normal	509	Englewood	White	Tuesday	209	36	5	...	1	...	...	5	...	...	243	...	90	15	80	...	510
Anchor	510	Paw Paw	Lee	Wednesday	123	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	122	...	17	3	54	...	511
Altona	511	Altona	Knox	Tuesday	18	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	...	16	4	24	...	512
Chromo	512	Tower Hill	Shelby	Tuesday	81	7	1	4	1	...	...	4	...	...	88	...	25	10	80	...	513
Dwight	513	Dwight	Livingston	Thursday	156	10	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	162	...	46	11	201	...	514
...	514	...	...	Cons.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	515
J. R. Miller	515	Hurst	Williamson	Tuesday	31	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	34	...	18	2	10	...	516
Bingham	516	Bingham	Fayette	Tuesday	61	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	59	...	21	3	...	...	517
Golden Link	517	Chicago	Cook	Thursday	242	11	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	219	...	43	20	190	...	518
Alpha	518	Alpha	Henry	Tuesday	26	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	...	16	1	6	...	519
Coal City	519	Coal City	Grundy	Friday	154	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	143	...	18	13	150	...	520
Tennessee	520	Tennessee	McDonough	Saturday	38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	...	15	4	28	...	521
Silver Link	521	Chicago	Cook	Friday	294	18	3	2	3	...	...	17	...	...	237	...	53	24	257	...	522
Woodlawn	522	Woodlawn	Jefferson	Thursday	78	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80	...	30	16	65	...	523
Marietta	523	Marietta	Fulton	Friday	59	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	...	27	3	10	...	524
Strasburg	524	Strasburg	Shelby	Friday	41	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	36	...	16	6	40	...	525
Blairsville	525	Blairsville	Williamson	Saturday	60	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66	...	20	4	40	...	526
Alexis	526	Alexis	Warren	Thursday	81	8	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	93	...	39	4	52	1	527
Ewing	527	Ewing	Franklin	Saturday	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	...	10	1	4	...	528
Goreville	528	Goreville	Johnson	Wednesday	118	23	3	...	3	...	...	2	...	...	136	...	37	3	20	...	529
Mahomet	529	Mahomet	Champaign	Tuesday	112	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	113	...	26	11	111	...	530
Rising Sun	530	...	Cook	Cons.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	531
Sherrard	531	Cicero	Mercer	Friday	131	23	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	111	...	1	7	8	...	532
...	532	Sherrard	...	Friday	61	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	57	...	15	11	4	...	533
...	533	...	...	Cons.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	534
Virden	534	Virden	Macoupin	Tuesday	247	32	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	273	...	43	8	260	9	535
Marblehead	535	Marblehead	Adams	Saturday	21	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	...	13	2	7	...	536
Venus	536	Hollowayville	Bureau	Saturday	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	537
Roseville	537	Roseville	Warren	Wednesday	141	13	4	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	153	...	42	13	78	...	538
Catin	538	Catin	Vermilion	Friday	62	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	69	...	30	3	18	...	539
New Baden	539	New Baden	Clinton	Friday	108	15	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	...	116	...	7	31	122	2	540
Good Samaritan	540	Chicago	Cook	Thursday	321	32	1	3	3	...	...	7	...	...	318	...	44	26	226	...	...

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Chrisman.	Chrisman.	Edgar.	Wednesday	161	3	...	1	1	1	...	10	...	1	145	47	6	25	...	...	541
Gibson.	Gibson City	Ford	Friday	167	6	...	2	1	1	...	3	...	2	164	47	11	59	...	...	542
Auburn.	Auburn	Sangamon	Saturday	146	6	...	2	1	1	...	5	...	1	149	41	13	110	...	...	543
Northern Light.	Chicago	Cook	Thursday	75	1	1	1	...	1	...	2	...	4	70	29	8	89	...	...	544
Oakland.	Oakland	Coles	Saturday	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	545
Washburn	Washburn	Woodford	Thursday	54	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	53	25	2	92	...	...	546
Cowden.	Cowden	Shelby	Closed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	547
Kaulbach	Champaign	Champaign	Tuesday	27	1	...	...	1	1	...	3	...	...	24	10	6	28	...	...	548
Industrial	Champaign	Sangamon	Wednesday	56	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	57	22	2	11	...	...	549
Vera	Michellsville.	Sangamon	Saturday	70	9	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	68	29	11	77	...	...	550
Sciota.	Mitchellsville.	Saline	Saturday	50	15	...	4	...	1	1	2	...	...	78	20	4	6	...	3	551
Castleton	Sciota.	McDonough.	Saturday	127	3	...	1	...	...	...	4	...	...	127	30	5	60	...	...	552
Lily	Castleton	Stark	Saturday	62	3	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	52	18	3	11	...	...	553
Clinton	Stronghurst	Henderson	Wednesday	50	2	...	2	1	...	...	9	...	2	50	21	1	7	...	...	554
Kennedy	Trenton	Clinton	Tuesday	102	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	106	32	3	87	...	...	555
Wayne City	Louisville	Clay	Monday	68	4	2	...	1	1	...	5	...	1	71	35	14	165	...	...	556
Grateful	Kennedy	De Witt	Wednesday	206	...	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	208	85	13	...	...	...	557
Neponset	Wayne City	Wayne	Thursday	56	2	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	60	33	17	...	...	...	558
Rogers Park	Pesotum	Champaign	Tuesday	49	8	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	54	16	1	10	...	...	559
Lecture	Neponset	Bureau	Tuesday	26	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	16	1	135	...	...	560
Oakwood	Chicago	Cook	Wednesday	135	12	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	3	138	25	2	11	...	...	561
Rankin	Chicago	Cook	Monday	107	1	...	2	1	1	...	...	...	1	98	25	3	46	...	...	562
Dakota	Vermilion	Edgar	Saturday	110	4	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	112	37	6	10	...	...	563
Aurora	Oakwood	Vermilion	Friday	75	...	1	1	1	1	...	3	...	2	71	37	10	26	...	1	564
Dexter	Rankin	St. Clair	Thursday	39	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	32	14	1	17	...	...	565
Bellevue	Dakota	Stephenson	Saturday	63	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	2	42	10	4	17	...	...	566
Undine	Norris City	White	Tuesday	18	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	18	10	4	23	...	3	567
Hindsboro	Bellevue	Calhoun	Tuesday	120	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	127	35	6	21	...	...	568
Gen	Arrowsmith	McLean	Wednesday	51	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	17	1	1	...	...	569
Badger Spring	Arrowsmith	McLean	Wednesday	97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39	10	2	4	...	...	570
Fidelity	Hindsboro	Douglas	Saturday	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	92	37	6	42	...	...	571
Buda	Whitefield	Bureau	Saturday	60	8	1	1	...	1	...	2	...	1	59	34	4	...	...	...	572
Fidelity	Whitefield	Bureau	Thursday	61	...	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	53	18	1	18	...	...	573
Fidelity	Shannon	Carroll	Thursday	45	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53	18	1	18	...	...	574
Buda	Buda	Bureau	Cons.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	118	45	3	19	...	...	575
Fidelity	Windsor	Selby	Thursday	105	3	...	3	...	...	...	4	...	2	105	31	4	60	...	...	576

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Chrisman.....	541	70 00			14 00	60 00	144 00	800 60	688 10		49 50	63 00	800 70	4,843 35			541
Gibson.....	542	177 00		20 00	16 50	110 00	323 50	2,791 57	725 00	32 00	1,653 00	361 57	2,667 37	10,322 06			542
Auburn.....	543	386 00			199 44		585 44	1,112 90	75 00	78 00	269 65		1,260 85	8,307 32			543
Northern Light ..	544	260 00	100 00	5 00	24 00		389 00	1,909 57	628 50	47 00		231 07	538 00	675 42			544
Oakland.....	545																545
Washburn.....	546	165 00					165 00	328 70	268 70		50 00	10 00	367 85	1,705 37			546
Cowden.....	547																547
Kaulbach.....	548	84 00					84 00	166 81	74 81	8 00	84 00		155 55	1,020 63			548
Industrial.....	549	60 00	10 00		16 95		86 95	383 10	263 50	20 00	99 60		476 28	4,676 08			549
Vera.....	550	206 00				105 00	312 00	646 45	400 10	111 00	74 00	61 35	614 08	2,496 60			550
Sciota.....	551	18 00	37 60		5 00		60 60	536 95	275 95	261 00			157 93	1,632 86			551
Castleton.....	552	216 00			66 50		282 50	1,073 80	485 55	57 00	369 70	161 55	1,547 73	5,493 12			552
Lily.....	553	33 00				50 00	83 00	350 05	261 30	45 00	43 75		685 38	2,214 98			553
Lilly.....	554	22 00			16 00		32 00	187 25	119 80	42 45	25 00		371 61	3,217 11			554
Clinton.....	555	376 00					376 00	1,005 56	612 50	105 50	287 56		1,132 06	4,059 59			555
Kennedy.....	556	21 00			32 00		53 00	457 73	398 03	89 70			110 26	1,545 45			556
Wayne City.....	557	381 00				10 00	423 00	1,676 50	971 75	178 00	319 00	207 75	1,408 48	3,886 36			557
Grateful.....	558	51 00			8 00		59 00	520 70	257 00	143 00	120 00		291 74	1,449 00			558
Nonset.....	559	86 00			2 60		32 60	206 75	107 50	34 00	62 50	2 75	233 03	1,553 46			559
John G. Potts.....	560	432 00	10 00				90 00	1,615 50	875 00	223 00	73 50	445 00	3,843 00	3,843 00			560
Rogers Park.....	561	453 00					155 00	2,687 01	670 51	39 00	1,868 25	89 25	2,160 13	1,553 41			561
Lecture.....	562	120 00					200 00	614 95	546 45	68 50			554 47	3,036 44			562
Oakwood.....	563	104 00	20 00				174 00	484 50	376 00				378 55	2,137 91			563
Radwin.....	564	51 00					101 00	486 00	184 00	13 50	300 00		130 00	3,709 51			564
Dakota.....	565						51 00	490 93	283 70		237 23		454 13	6,876 18			565
Aurora.....	566	115 00	72 00		6 80		193 80	200 10	107 00		30 00		258 27	2,455 80			566
Dexter.....	567	63 00					63 00	633 46	337 96	199 00		36 50	349 82	2,956 00			567
Bellevue.....	568	3 00					3 00	310 20	246 00	58 00	6 00		366 71	1,849 97			568
Undine.....	569	16 00					16 00	262 06	194 16	15 00	50 00		186 67	1,968 08			569
Hindsboro.....	570	126 00			159 00	50 00	335 00	1,148 40	485 40	87 00	388 00	188 00	1,132 31	6,363 81			570
Gem.....	571	102 00					102 00	871 70	189 15				1,086 87	1,100 21			571
Badger Spring.....	572	54 00				50 00	104 00	378 19	197 35	124 59	52 00	4 25	323 72	1,551 76			572
Buda.....	573																573
Fidelity.....	574																574
	575	57 00			64 00		121 00	1,043 25	123 25	632 00	268 00		648 58	2,352 17			575
	576	54 00			50 00		104 00	808 90	659 10	59 80	150 00		572 71	4,293 53			576

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Grandview.....	Grandview.....	Edgar.....	Cons. Saturday.....	80	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	79	..	38	7	70	..	613
Eddyville.....	Eddyville.....	Pope.....	Saturday.....	61	1	1	1	1	..	..	3	..	2	56	..	22	4	27	1	614
Terre Haute.....	Terre Haute.....	Henderson.....	Monday.....	52	1	1	1	1	..	..	3	..	3	51	..	18	3	18	..	615
Hurricane.....	Samoth.....	Massac.....	Friday.....	23	6	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	22	..	8	2	12	..	616
Beacon.....	Cornell.....	Livingston.....	Wednesday.....	113	4	1	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	111	..	41	3	10	..	617
Athea.....	Elgin.....	Kane.....	Thursday.....	304	16	4	2	1	..	..	16	..	3	394	..	43	21	108	..	618
North Star.....	Toga.....	Hancock.....	Saturday.....	17	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	17	..	8	1	23	..	619
Unionville.....	Unionville.....	Massac.....	Saturday.....	20	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	22	..	9	2	28	1	620
Marissa.....	Marissa.....	St. Clair.....	Thursday.....	62	4	..	1	..	..	..	7	..	1	58	..	28	5	36	..	621
Hunt City.....	Hunt City.....	Jasper.....	Thursday.....	26	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	5	..	16	..	13	8	60	..	622
Port Byron.....	Port Byron.....	Rock Island.....	Saturday.....	69	12	1	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	78	..	17	6	23	..	623
New Burnside.....	New Burnside.....	Johnson.....	Monday.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	624
Orient.....	Chicago Heights.....	Cook.....	Thursday.....	304	12	6	1	2	1	7	..	..	3	310	1	47	18	90	3	625
Schamo.....	Ohio.....	Bureau.....	Thursday.....	61	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	28	1	63	..	63	..	626
North Henderson.....	North Henderson.....	Merced.....	Friday.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	627
Victoria.....	Victoria.....	Knock.....	Monday.....	37	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	37	..	10	1	4	..	628
Palacky.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Thursday.....	433	187	5	7	..	..	3	3	..	5	610	1	35	20	156	8	629
Edinburg.....	Edinburg.....	Christian.....	Friday.....	61	1	..	..	..	..	4	1	..	1	57	1	29	3	13	..	630
Grape Creek.....	Grape Creek.....	Vermilion.....	Thursday.....	56	1	..	..	2	..	7	..	..	..	48	..	18	4	8	..	631
Kansas.....	Kansas.....	Edgar.....	Friday.....	126	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	126	2	37	10	182	..	632
Farina.....	Farina.....	Payette.....	Tuesday.....	74	4	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	2	75	..	27	40	..	..	633
Metcalf.....	Metcalf.....	Edgar.....	Tuesday.....	438	..	..	..	..	..	18	..	..	2	117	..	24	15	103	..	634
Prospect.....	Humbolt.....	Coles.....	Saturday.....	83	1	2	2	2	..	2	..	..	2	80	..	25	10	46	2	635
Cable.....	Cable.....	Merced.....	Wednesday.....	66	..	..	..	1	..	11	..	..	1	53	..	21	7	45	..	636
Viola.....	Minier.....	Tazewell.....	Thursday.....	102	4	1	1	..	..	8	..	..	1	106	..	45	13	80	1	637
Brighton Park.....	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Monday.....	153	6	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	2	147	..	35	5	14	..	638
Wilton.....	Wilton Center.....	Will.....	Thursday.....	70	8	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	77	..	26	8	28	..	639
Loraine.....	Loraine.....	Adams.....	Tuesday.....	78	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	3	75	..	25	..	..	..	640
Barton.....	Barton.....	Adams.....	Saturday.....	42	3	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	41	..	22	2	4	..	641
Elico.....	Elico.....	Alexander.....	Thursday.....	110	1	1	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	113	..	39	2	6	..	642
Westfield.....	Westfield.....	Clark.....	Thursday.....	224	21	9	1	1	..	20	..	..	3	261	..	40	15	48	..	643
Austin Park.....	Austin Park.....	Cook.....	Monday.....	254	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	644
Floral.....	Floral.....	Menard.....	Cons. Friday.....	94	5	2	4	1	..	19	..	..	1	95	..	24	5	43	..	645
Gilman.....	Gilman.....	Iroquois.....	Monday.....	145	12	1	..	..	2	..	3	..	1	153	1	25	12	62	..	646

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Grandview	613															613
Edyville	614	210 00		5 00	100 00	315 00	443 37	308 80	15 00	119 57		413 59	4,081 35			614
Terre Haute	615	81 00	3 80		151 00	235 80	310 18	206 00	6 00	9 50	88 08	358 69	1,097 00			615
Hurricane	616	51 00		10 00		61 00	278 89	238 57	31 50	5 25		169 42	2,702 95			616
Beacon	617	30 00		2 30	50 00	82 30	110 21	89 36	23 33	17 50		77 90	1,388 40			617
Albion	618	30 00				30 00	550 75	435 90	69 60	346 00	8 88	46 00	6,250 00			618
North Star	619	356 00			160 00	516 00	2,141 95	1,785 45	327 30	33 00		2,119 21	7,773 02			619
Unionville	620	101 50		50 00	50 00	151 50	41 56	44 50				206 45	870 00			620
Narissa	621	52 00	4 00			106 00	362 33	216 25	40 00	6 00		622 44	1,099 83			621
Hunt City	622	108 00		43 15		151 15	74 50	74 50				136 46	789 03			622
Port Byron	623	106 00				106 00	608 47	377 85	152 00	78 02		680 13	1,649 68			623
New Burnside	624	69 00				69 00										624
Orient	625	405 00	40 00	519 70	375 00	1,314 70	6,990 42	1,554 00	321 00	2,472 50	2,312 92	5,326 05	16,753 00			625
Schamo	626	211 00			60 00	271 00	338 80	198 30		140 50		560 33	2,088 65			626
North Henderson	627															627
Victoria	628															628
Palacky	629	820 00	180 00	150 60	1,000 00	2,150 00	9,679 11	3,313 50	5,150 00	900 11	285 50	5,712 72	24,143 96			629
Edinburg	630	39 00			55 00	94 00	217 25	211 25	6 00			600 06	337 00			630
Grape Creek	631	20 00				20 00	494 81	249 25	21 00	224 56		193 95	3,034 37			631
Kansas	632	20 00		23 00	105 00	385 00	785 52	514 12	40 00	231 40		844 11	4,957 46			632
Furina	633	237 00			50 00	140 00	308 45	250 95	56 00	1 50		445 81	1,927 86			633
Metcalf	634	90 00			120 00	454 00	845 50	416 50	15 00	382 00		556 00	132 00			634
Prospect	635	309 00	25 00		158 50	514 10	705 81	438 25	19 50	245 40	2 66	662 70	8,850 02			635
Cable	636	150 60		5 00	110 00	300 00	479 94	277 80		186 14	16 00	477 23	3,181 14			636
Viola	637	182 00	6 65	55 70	85 00	319 35	675 33	438 70	65 20	170 43	1 00	701 95	2,666 45			637
Brighton Park	638	339 00		14 00	150 00	533 00	1,342 65	1,191 15	151 50			1,304 73	1,926 53			638
Wilton	639	369 00			160 00	216 00	600 28	373 28	137 00	49 00	50 00	433 05	2,630 00			639
Loraine	640	56 00			150 00	254 00	818 20	372 55	12 25	24 00	469 60	475 46	1,027 07			640
Burton	641	84 00														641
Elco	642	12 00		5 00	50 00	183 00	338 95	170 95	21 00	114 00		317 21	2,660 10			642
Westfield	643	18 00					837 75	630 80	27 00	159 00	21 25	593 90	5,921 51			643
Austin Park	644	24 00		45 35	20 00	310 35	5,137 69	2,119 03	510 71	2,407 23	100 69	5,448 49	6,669 72			644
Floral	645	129 00		1 00	11 00	141 00	796 96	466 05	177 23	353 26		279 98	1,421 01			645
Gilman	646	186 00			140 00	326 00	1,576 79	808 00	137 00	473 60	158 79	1,756 64	7,641 60			646

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Woodlawn.....	349	33 00					33 00	412 03	398 50	18 00	72 00	43 58	187 22	126 06			649
Pride of the West.....	350	52 00					52 00	508 00	273 00		235 00		300 70	9 392 15			650
Falmouth.....	351	94 00	20 00			50 00	164 00	213 55	111 55	4 00	98 00		170 00	2 353 11			651
Heathsville.....	352	260 00					260 00	925 73	511 70	199 50	214 53		590 08	4 189 90			652
Bristol.....	353	213 00		5 00		80 00	308 00	1 183 95	661 55	31 40	470 00	21 00	1 163 11	9 232 31			653
.....	354							35 00	35 00				16 00	84 40			654
Geff.....	355																655
Sorrento.....	356	586 00			10 00	90 00	686 00	771 69	460 00	81 00	230 69		878 50	1 001 29			656
LaFayette.....	357	6 00			10 00	50 00	66 00	268 45	124 00	5 00	137 31	2 14	301 02	1 509 23			657
Humboldt Park.....	358	270 00				85 00	355 00	1 501 58	1 151 30	111 50	233 48	5 37	1 112 03	4 811 28			658
Bellflower.....	359	69 00					119 00	348 42	245 92	18 40	84 10		297 76	2 120 55			659
Monroe.....	360	80 00			25 00	50 00	160 00	409 79	267 60	45 00	51 00	46 19	416 50	3 324 51			660
Westville.....	361	303 00					303 00	1 402 28	525 15	127 00		750 13	1 063 81	2 636 70			661
Sheridan.....	362	209 50					209 50	206 96	296 86				203 26	1 638 30			662
Romine.....	363																663
Austin.....	364	672 00			18 00	50 00	740 00										664
Washington.....	365	602 00	41 10		30 00	100 00	773 10	2 279 44	1 467 54	461 00	76 00	274 90	2 212 85	2 245 86			665
J. G. Whittier.....	366	291 00			29 00		323 00	878 02	563 00	214 00		101 02	1 045 03	8 938 58			666
White Oak.....	367	18 00					18 00	208 60	116 90	86 50		5 20	166 00	718 87			667
at Peoria.....	368	280 00			20 00	50 00	350 00	1 133 90	793 00	101 00	187 90	101 40	247 14	4 459 59			668
.....	369																669
ood Hope.....	370	84 00					84 00	450 20	275 45	9 00	165 00	75	103 05	3 075 45			670
Inday.....	371	60 00				100 00	160 00	686 50	376 30	172 00	50 00	88 00	498 80	1 882 02			671
va.....	372	71 00					71 00	681 00	277 80	17 50	394 50	1 50	277 74	8 890 16			672
vanston.....	373	265 00	4 85		56 25	200 00	526 10	3 192 60	1 693 75	174 00	1 107 90	756 95	3 718 70	9 225 24			673
eris.....	374	101 00				85 00	186 00	729 53	403 15	56 00	269 78		691 29	1 790 00			674
Irkwood.....	375	136 00			13 00		149 00	1 019 75	489 75	69 50	460 50		977 38	4 356 38			675
ito.....	376																676
tanford.....	377	89 00			55 31		144 31	741 05	312 05	313 00	116 00		255 26	4 107 05			677
idge Farm.....	378																678
raceville.....	379	485 00			28 00	107 65	620 65	694 72	607 72			87 00	880 71	533 36			679
reese.....	380	110 00					110 00	1 008 99	501 50	39 00	290 02	238 47	2 100 00	525 49			680
oodhouse.....	381	96 00				100 00	196 00	1 219 53	359 60	49 00	286 83	24 00	1 624 95	5 49 24			681
asco.....	382																682
acusa.....	383	71 00			1 00		72 00	474 30	349 30		125 00		178 98	2 935 20			683
iverside.....	384													1 766 03			684

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Osanton.....	685	246 00				100 00	346 00	934 60	635 10	35 00	264 50		220 00	2,220 28			685
Sloman.....	686	96 00			11 25		110 25	736 80	359 00	191 75	186 05		514 12	1,750 00			686
Cullom.....	687	9 00				80 00	89 00	448 25	281 25		150 00	17 00	554 45	1,078 03			687
Kent.....	688	844 00			77 69	200 00	1,121 69	3,069 42	2,271 59	390 70	263 05	131 08	2,845 64	7,831 07			688
Beecher City.....	689	91 00				50 00	141 00	212 50	146 10	14 00	52 40		239 96	1,486 76			689
Hutton.....	691	198 00				50 60	248 00	581 17	500 00	9 00	9 67	62 50	675 28	2,048 98			691
Brookfield.....	692	96 00					96 00	225 66	140 91	5 25	77 50	2 00	176 63	5,139 71			692
Brookfield.....	693	407 00				50 00	407 00	1,216 63	597 50	164 00	2 25	452 88	1,103 26	7,688 62			693
Luka.....	694	60 00	19 06				129 00	679 83	100 54	73 00	28 00	388 29	318 51	1,841 47			694
Broughton.....	695	30 00			9 20		39 20	162 77	79 10	4 00	69 67		161 62	1,048 28			695
South Chicago.....	696																696
Montebello.....	697	439 00			5 00	60 00	504 00	2,076 30	946 20	651 00	394 10	91 00	1,106 80	4,493 56			697
James A. Garfield.....	698	126 00			14 00	284 00	424 00										698
Norfolk.....	699	966 00		25 50	92 85	1,034 80	2,118 74	4,326 90	3,387 15	288 75	651 00		3,735 59	12,401 71			699
Burnside.....	700	51 00					51 00	513 20	484 20	23 00			477 30	9,790 63			700
Scout.....	702							643 80	200 30	84 00	354 00		436 58	5,434 20			702
Cartersville.....	703	519 00				170 00	1,003 46	1,118 57	967 39	30 00	160 88		1,239 73	5,506 61			703
Fisher.....	704	144 00				180 00	324 00	845 24	287 98	33 00	219 00	333 26	1,190 39	4,666 87			704
Acme.....	705						6 00	289 60	211 75	45 00	32 25		143 18	1,814 98			705
Palatine.....	707	296 00				50 00	296 00	7,591 77	700 50	153 00	54 00	1,682 27	2,472 33	7,244 42			707
Walnut Hill.....	708	15 00					65 00	600 50	218 00	57 50	300 00	25 00	694 45	2,086 38			708
Woodson.....	710	90 00			10 50		100 50	323 90	308 90	16 00			233 35	1,316 03			710
Clear Creek.....	711	78 00			91 10		151 10	185 55	112 55	55 20	18 00	55 00	151 16	613 00			711
Clarksville.....	712						78 00	279 95	207 75		17 00		310 37	2,038 56			712
Colchester.....	713							169 26	146 80	9 00	13 46		16 80	1,539 35			713
Martin.....	714	248 00	75 00			5 00	328 00	1,104 35	954 70	39 65	200 00		48 50	798 00			714
Pullman.....	715					130 00	130 00	613 71	221 30		291 00	101 41	547 10	2,306 61			715
Deering.....	716	725 00				163 15	889 15	1,925 69	1,428 03	175 00	298 00	24 66	1,937 26	5,236 88			716
Rock City.....	717	144 00			30 00	100 00	644 00	1,431 75	216 00	110 25	61 75		804 00	2,624 00			717
Venice.....	718	490 00					490 00	1,869 30	1,219 75	435 00	178 95	35 60	1,434 17	4,438 94			718
Argenta.....	719	148 00				110 00	258 00	1,577 33	781 58	167 50	168 58	324 75	1,260 06	3,375 41			719
	720							958 33			9 25		335 00	2,034 40			720

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Essex.....	721	Essex.....	Kankakee.....	Tuesday.....	30	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	99	45	4	12	1	721	
Hyde Park.....	722	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Tuesday.....	217	98	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	207	49	38	302	1	722	
Lake.....	723	Antioch.....	Lake.....	Thursday.....	98	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	86	17	1	5	1	723	
Litchfield.....	724	Litchfield.....	Montgomery.....	Tuesday.....	119	15	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	132	50	12	122	2	724	
Hume.....	725	Hume.....	Edgar.....	Saturday.....	105	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	101	27	6	23	1	725	
Table Grove.....	726	Table Grove.....	Fulton.....	Tuesday.....	97	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	98	35	7	151	1	726	
Modesto.....	727	Modesto.....	Macoupin.....	Monday.....	64	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	58	27	3	11	1	727	
Staurmin.....	728	Staurmin.....	Livingston.....	Wednesday.....	98	38	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	90	32	7	14	1	728	
Belmont.....	729	Belmont.....	Wabash.....	Thursday.....	38	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	35	15	2	15	1	729	
Hampshire.....	730	Hampshire.....	Kane.....	Monday.....	97	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	93	27	10	41	1	730	
Stonefort.....	731	Stonefort.....	Saline.....	Saturday.....	59	7	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	70	17	6	12	1	731	
South Star.....	732	Friendsville.....	Wabash.....	Saturday.....	75	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	76	19	3	8	1	732	
Columbian.....	733	Sibley.....	Ford.....	Friday.....	65	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	65	49	9	10	1	733	
London.....	734	London Mills.....	Fulton.....	Monday.....	65	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	64	25	5	21	1	734	
Bethalto.....	735	Bethalto.....	Madison.....	Tuesday.....	94	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	94	42	9	78	1	735	
Lowman.....	736	Somerset.....	Saline.....	Saturday.....	66	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	64	25	5	24	1	736	
Owego.....	737	Brownstown.....	Payette.....	Wednesday.....	38	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	39	16	3	3	1	737	
Olive Leaf.....	738	Worden.....	Madison.....	Tuesday.....	105	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	108	24	5	17	1	738	
Sanhedrin.....	739	Collison.....	Vermilion.....	Wednesday.....	62	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	68	27	8	42	1	739	
Deland.....	740	Deland.....	Piatt.....	Thursday.....	152	9	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	153	33	7	40	1	740	
Ransom.....	741	Ransom.....	LaSalle.....	Friday.....	47	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	38	16	1	1	1	741	
Arthur.....	742	Arthur.....	Douglas.....	Friday.....	152	9	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	38	16	1	1	1	742	
Cyclone.....	743	Huntsville.....	Schuyler.....	Thursday.....	47	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	38	16	1	1	1	743	
Rose Hill.....	744	Rose Hill.....	Jasper.....	Saturday.....	44	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	45	3	28	25	1	744	
Slms.....	745	Slms.....	Wayne.....	Saturday.....	44	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	45	3	28	25	1	745	
Mount Hope.....	746	Mount Hope.....	McLean.....	Saturday.....	102	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	90	33	4	22	1	746	
Casey.....	747	Casey.....	Clark.....	Friday.....	168	8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	169	40	3	83	1	747	
Bethany.....	748	Crossville.....	White.....	Monday.....	131	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	125	42	6	29	1	748	
Downer's Grove.....	749	Downer's Grove.....	Moultrie.....	Monday.....	45	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	49	14	2	2	1	749	
South Chicago.....	750	Cummings.....	Du'age.....	Monday.....	208	10	1	2	9	1	1	1	1	205	51	18	72	3	750	
Good Faith.....	751	Good Faith.....	Cook.....	Thursday.....	178	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	180	45	21	124	1	751	
Hettick.....	752	Hettick.....	Fulton.....	Wednesday.....	92	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	53	27	7	26	1	752	
Vevay.....	753	Vevay.....	Macoupin.....	Saturday.....	92	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	102	30	7	26	1	753	
Broadlands.....	754	Broadlands.....	Cumberland.....	Friday.....	92	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	102	30	7	26	1	754	
Koerner.....	755	Koerner.....	Champaign.....	Monday.....	272	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	275	35	31	283	3	755	
	756	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Friday.....	272	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	275	35	31	283	3	756	

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Kinderhook	757	Kinderhook.....	Pike	Tuesday...	105	2	2	3	..	..	..	8	..	3	101	..	36	10	133	...	757.
Browns	758	Browns.....	Edwards.	Saturday...	34	3	3	..	1	..	..	2	..	3	31	..	18	3	11	...	758
Stone's Prairie.	759	Plainville.....	Adams.	Saturday...	24	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	..	..	22	..	11	1	10	...	759
Atwood	760	Atwood.....	Platt.	Cons.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	14	65	...	760
Atwood	761	Atwood.....	Platt.	Wednesday.	161	2	2	..	1	..	..	5	..	2	157	..	40	14	65	...	761
Atwood	762	Atwood.....	Platt.	Closed.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30	7	15	...	762
Rock Grove.	763	Rock Grove.....	Stephenson	Tuesday...	66	15	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	82	1	30	7	15	...	763
Montrose	764	Montrose.....	Effingham	Saturday...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	764
Berwick	765	Montrose.....	Warren	Tuesday...	71	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26	3	40	2	765
Hegewisch	766	Hegewisch.....	Cook	Tuesday...	44	18	3	1	2	..	1	2	..	9	67	..	9	8	40	..	766
Hebron	767	Hebron.....	McHenry	Thursday...	135	8	..	..	1	..	..	3	1	2	63	..	32	10	24	..	767
Genoa	768	Genoa.....	DeKalb.	Monday...	21	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	137	..	14	1	9	..	768
Union	769	Union.....	McHenry	Monday...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23	11	175	..	769
Welcome	770	Pleasant Plains	Sagamont.	Thursday...	81	3	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	3	84	..	27	9	80	..	770
Momence	771	Momence.....	Kankakee.	Tuesday...	84	1	..	4	2	..	..	8	..	3	72	..	27	9	80	..	771
Delta	772	Grantsburg	Johnson.	Saturday...	29	8	2	2	1	..	..	2	..	1	35	..	11	2	9	..	772
West Union.	773	West Union.....	Clark.	Thursday...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	773
Allerton	774	Allerton.....	Vermillion.	Thursday...	65	8	..	..	..	..	..	10	1	3	68	..	25	6	20	2	774
Black Hawk.	775	Black Hawk.....	Boone.	Cons.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	775
Herald	776	Capron.....	McLean.	Monday...	70	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26	7	63	..	776
Ambrosia	777	Anchor.....	McLean.	Wednesday.	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	4	..	..	70	..	18	1	4	..	777
Williamsfield	778	Atlas.....	Pike.	Saturday...	38	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	39	..	15	..	..	..	778
Central	779	Williamsfield.	Knox.	Wednesday.	25	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	..	..	25	..	35	..	..	..	779
Jackson	780	Seaton.....	Mercer.	Thursday...	56	..	..	..	1	..	..	7	..	..	48	..	10	1	3	..	780
Prosperity	781	Vergennes.	Jackson.	Saturday...	81	2	2	2	..	..	..	4	3	3	78	..	25	5	28	..	781
Odd Fellows.	782	Chicago.....	Cook.	Wednesday.	206	7	1	1	1	..	18	13	1	1	196	..	33	7	41	..	782
Eastern Rose	783	Normal.....	McLean.	Thursday...	155	4	..	..	1	..	10	10	..	..	144	..	38	15	82	..	783
Wellington	784	Rose Bud.....	Pope.	Tuesday...	45	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	27	..	1	1	4	..	784
Cameron	785	Wellington	Ironquois.	Thursday...	33	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	47	..	19	5	13	..	785
LaPlace	786	Cameron.....	Warren.	Saturday...	104	7	1	1	1	..	4	..	..	1	106	..	35	9	109	..	786
Royd	787	LaPlace.....	Platt.	Friday...	50	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	55	..	24	1	2	..	787
Boyd	788	Boyd.....	Jefferson.	Saturday...	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	12	..	5	1	5	..	788
Boyd	789	Pulaski.....	Pulaski.	Thursday...	20	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	18	..	18	..	..	..	789
Yale	790	Yale.....	Jasper.	Thursday...	31	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	30	..	20	..	4	..	790
Fairland	791	Fairland.....	Douglas.	Thursday...	24	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	92	..	18	2	..	..	791
Ashmore	792	Ashmore.....	Coles.	Tuesday...	82	4	1	1	1	..	..	1	1	1	55	..	34	11	100	..	792

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Kinderhook.....	757	226 00		10 00	14 00	100 00	350 00	930 82	603 50	56 00	213 00	57 82	1,034 89	4,950 27			757
Browns.....	758	44 00	.....	.....	.....	100 00	204 00	535 45	281 75	42 00	227 45	4 25	996 99	2,388 34	.....	.....	758
Stone's Prairie.....	759	30 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	30 00	72 00	59 00	4 00	8 00	1 00	29 54	819 56	.....	.....	759
Alwood.....	760	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	760
Alwood.....	761	227 50	.....	.....	.....	240 00	467 50	1,085 94	777 50	69 25	117 00	122 19	963 81	.....	.....	.....	761
Rock Grove.....	762	45 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	45 00	758 55	341 05	226 00	172 00	19 50	677 12	2,465 78	.....	.....	762
Montrose.....	763	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	763
Berwick.....	764	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	764
Herewich.....	765	104 00	.....	.....	.....	150 00	254 00	533 61	475 25	45 00	13 36	.....	534 24	1,143 39	.....	.....	765
Hebron.....	767	240 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	240 00	541 75	231 25	240 00	70 50	.....	943 29	796 79	.....	.....	767
Genoa.....	768	72 00	.....	6 00	105 60	73 25	236 25	1,033 90	657 20	112 00	239 50	35 20	987 52	3,223 17	.....	.....	768
Coral.....	769	18 00	.....	.....	.....	3 00	21 00	223 60	111 50	98 00	12 00	.....	155 90	1,244 30	.....	.....	769
Welcome.....	770	367 00	.....	.....	82 30	.....	399 30	633 25	322 75	53 50	226 00	31 00	738 55	2,539 97	.....	.....	770
Nomence.....	771	240 00	.....	.....	55 00	120 00	415 00	687 00	494 00	21 00	102 00	50 00	862 73	508 80	.....	.....	771
Delta.....	772	27 00	.....	.....	.....	50 00	77 00	191 00	45 00	30 00	116 00	.....	150 00	724 50	.....	.....	772
West Union.....	773	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	773
Allerton.....	774	234 00	.....	.....	27 50	270 00	531 50	397 25	285 10	66 00	.....	36 15	518 75	1,139 75	.....	.....	774
Black Hawk.....	775	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	775
Herald.....	776	189 00	.....	.....	.....	50 00	239 00	286 60	230 10	20 00	36 50	.....	618 57	4,819 21	.....	.....	776
Ambrosia.....	777	12 00	.....	.....	12 00	.....	12 00	119 20	103 50	5 20	10 50	.....	135 38	1,175 10	.....	.....	777
Williamsfield.....	778	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	214 60	122 05	14 00	78 55	.....	108 01	1,760 61	.....	.....	778
Central.....	779	10 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	10 50	204 00	104 00	.....	100 00	.....	250 00	427 00	.....	.....	779
Jackson.....	780	10 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	10 50	316 10	202 10	.....	114 00	.....	358 13	1,976 65	.....	.....	780
Prosperity.....	781	84 00	.....	.....	.....	100 00	184 00	761 86	155 50	.....	460 00	146 36	683 58	3,798 28	.....	.....	781
Odd Fellows.....	782	116 00	.....	.....	.....	90 00	206 00	884 58	884 58	78 00	.....	104 97	808 85	1,703 47	.....	.....	782
Eastern Rose.....	783	268 00	.....	.....	.....	125 00	393 00	1,897 40	847 50	70 00	825 25	154 65	1,701 59	5,186 42	.....	.....	783
Wellington.....	784	12 00	.....	.....	124 66	.....	12 00	360 18	118 66	.....	6 00	22 42	828 32	828 32	.....	.....	784
Cameron.....	785	39 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	39 00	360 18	202 35	.....	157 83	.....	206 48	2,647 00	.....	.....	785
LaPlace.....	786	6 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 00	510 50	247 50	81 00	180 00	112 50	746 56	2,998 24	.....	.....	786
Boyd.....	787	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	10 00	60 54	46 54	.....	.....	.....	396 20	3,742 64	.....	.....	787
Egypt.....	788	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	10 00	183 14	144 75	.....	24 00	14 39	49 80	584 64	.....	.....	788
Yale.....	789	9 00	.....	.....	.....	50 00	59 00	112 50	112 50	.....	.....	.....	159 54	300 00	.....	.....	789
Aarland.....	790	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	154 60	73 00	.....	81 60	.....	86 06	397 88	.....	.....	790
Fishmore.....	791					40 00	307 00	538 56	399 80	73 00	155 76		169 13	1,958 70			791
.....	792	327 00											717 31	3,709 26			792

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Waukegan.....	793	Waukegan.....	Lake	Tuesday.....	173	92	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	196	...	41	10	19	...	392
Dewey.....	794	Dewey.....	Champaign.....	Friday.....	70	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	66	...	27	4	31	...	391
Palestine.....	795	Sycor.....	Woodford.....	Tuesday.....	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	35	...	7	...	...	...	396
Cheneyville.....	796	Cheneyville.....	Vermilion.....	Wednesday.....	80	1	1	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	79	...	3	4	11	...	397
...	797	...	...	Closed.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	398
Pomona.....	798	Pomona.....	Jackson.....	Thursday.....	66	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	71	...	18	2	8	...	399
Tegner.....	799	Rockford.....	Winnebago.....	Monday.....	31	48	3	...	...	...	...	15	...	1	375	...	31	6	51	...	400
Royal.....	800	Cleora.....	Cook.....	Thursday.....	114	3	...	...	...	1	...	10	...	3	101	...	21	9	33	...	401
Clarksburg.....	801	Clarksburg.....	Shelby.....	Friday.....	85	19	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	102	...	23	17	41	...	402
...	802	...	...	Closed.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	403
Ladd.....	803	Ladd.....	Bureau.....	Thursday.....	26	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	1	22	...	12	2	6	...	404
...	804	...	...	Closed.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	405
Parkville.....	805	Parkville.....	Champaign.....	Saturday.....	21	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	11	1	28	...	406
Keystone.....	806	Bureau.....	Bureau.....	Tuesday.....	53	3	3	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	51	...	18	8	66	...	407
Bogota.....	807	Bogota.....	Jasper.....	Tuesday.....	61	5	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	65	...	26	3	8	...	408
Shenfield.....	808	Shenfield.....	Bureau.....	Monday.....	51	8	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58	...	22	1	...	...	409
Ellsworth.....	809	Ellsworth.....	McLean.....	Friday.....	38	6	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	41	...	20	1	12	...	410
Fish Hook.....	810	Fish Hook.....	Pike.....	Saturday.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	411
...	811	...	...	Cons.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	412
Three Links.....	812	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Wednesday.....	828	46	5	1	...	1	...	26	...	8	851	...	4	70	634	2	413
Youngstown.....	813	Youngstown.....	Warren.....	Tuesday.....	25	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	21	...	38	...	...	...	414
Lawrenceville.....	814	Lawrenceville.....	Lawrence.....	Monday.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	415
...	815	...	...	Closed.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	...	29	5	21	...	416
Thawville.....	816	Thawville.....	Troquois.....	Wednesday.....	48	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	262	...	...	12	54	...	417
West Pullman.....	817	West Pullman.....	Cook.....	Friday.....	210	6	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	418
...	818	...	...	Cons.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	419
Gridley.....	819	Gridley.....	McLean.....	Thursday.....	160	1	...	...	1	...	...	9	...	1	90	...	25	11	147	...	420
St. Anne.....	820	St. Anne.....	Kankakee.....	Thursday.....	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	52	...	30	2	4	...	421
Rock Creek.....	821	Rock Creek.....	Hardin.....	Saturday.....	57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63	...	58	4	11	...	422
Greater Chicago.....	822	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Monday.....	125	11	2	...	1	...	...	6	...	...	130	...	21	9	50	...	423
Yantisville.....	823	Yantisville.....	Shelby.....	Saturday.....	169	3	3	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	111	...	30	1	41	...	424
Ideal.....	824	Cave-in-Rock.....	Hardin.....	Saturday.....	72	17	...	...	1	...	...	17	...	3	78	...	1	18	12	...	425
Woodlawn Park.....	825	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Wednesday.....	299	7	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	295	...	43	12	36	1	426
La Motte.....	826	Palestine.....	Crawford.....	Tuesday.....	128	5	1	...	1	...	...	6	...	1	121	...	...	10	58	...	427
Percy.....	827	Percy.....	Randolph.....	Saturday.....	86	13	...	2	...	...	...	3	...	...	96	...	22	7	19	...	428
Stonington.....	828	Stonington.....	Christian.....	Wednesday.....	121	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	156	...	...	5	8	...	429

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Waukegan	793	211 00	...	20 00	276 60	110 00	617 00	1,976 75	973 00	470 75	...	533 00	1,543 04	3,835 51	...	...	794
Dewey	794	102 00	...	...	...	...	102 00	382 74	314 85	13 56	43 39	11 00	305 11	1,698 99	...	...	795
Palestine	795	...	...	...	...	...	...	745 50	145 50	...	...	...	100 00	2,489 50	...	...	796
Cheneyville	796	33 00	...	...	...	...	33 00	528 45	314 30	15 00	151 15	18 00	394 73	3,466 31	...	...	797
Pomona	797	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	798
Tegner	798	24 00	...	...	7 00	...	31 00	2,398 25	156 75	90 00	75 25	2,076 25	1,396 30	2,192 46	...	...	799
Royal	799	140 00	...	...	...	...	140 00	6,792 78	1,939 80	1,083 00	3,829 07	438 01	6,588 71	13,504 58	...	...	800
Clarksburg	801	123 00	...	...	10 00	36 00	169 00	683 05	560 00	93 00	173 00	70 75	844 36	860 56	...	...	802
Ladd	802	1S 00	...	...	...	...	...	890 15	411 15	233 25	...	...	921 51	2,433 38	...	...	803
Parkville	803	1S 00	...	...	...	...	18 00	182 00	91 00	...	91 00	...	98 00	246 00	...	...	804
Keystone	805	65 00	...	...	...	...	65 00	188 55	98 55	90 00	...	...	65 00	388 55	...	...	806
Logota	806	198 00	...	...	...	67 30	265 30	336 75	270 75	35 00	...	...	401 41	611 33	...	...	807
Sheffield	807	24 00	...	...	...	90 00	114 00	...	...	...	...	...	...	494 37	...	...	808
Ellsworth	808	...	...	...	7 00	...	7 00	433 05	315 05	138 00	...	...	376 53	216 05	...	...	809
Fish Hook	809	35 00	...	...	...	...	36 00	531 20	201 60	59 60	240 60	...	184 54	4,703 50	...	...	810
Three Links	811	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	811
Youngstown	812	3,112 00	39 00	79 00	373 90	2,027 35	5,622 25	11,301 52	8,320 65	1,266 00	1,607 00	107 87	9,219 33	31,807 75	...	...	813
Lauraville	813	...	...	...	4 80	...	4 80	110 00	104 00	...	6 00	...	70 95	983 50	...	...	814
Rockefeller	815	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	815
Rawville	816	63 00	...	...	...	50 00	113 00	294 86	294 80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	816
West Pullman	817	226 00	...	...	217 00	200 00	643 00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	817
Altadena	818	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	818
Gridley	819	393 00	...	...	30 06	50 00	473 00	836 22	723 89	14 00	38 33	60 00	673 77	2,423 33	...	...	819
St. Anne	820	21 00	...	10 10	...	...	31 00	275 10	275 10	...	...	...	136 04	460 01	...	...	821
Rock Creek	821	109 00	...	...	...	...	109 00	273 75	273 75	...	...	...	291 25	603 79	...	...	822
Greater Chicago	822	243 00	...	40 00	...	...	513 00	1,068 00	891 00	157 00	50 00	...	755 00	2,316 50	...	...	823
Yantisville	823	123 00	...	...	11 00	90 00	224 00	1,388 71	425 00	28 00	935 71	533 25	3,158 37	2,153 52	...	...	824
Ideal	824	243 00	...	...	17 50	120 70	381 20	589 44	283 45	145 20	160 70	100 00	592 79	9,593 75	...	...	825
Woodlawn Park	825	424 00	20 00	...	137 00	340 00	881 00	3,571 36	2,007 85	522 50	479 90	561 63	1,778 60	3,970 25	...	...	826
Lamothe	826	174 00	...	...	46 00	63 00	285 00	894 85	646 25	50 00	193 60	...	463 00	2,674 11	...	...	827
Percy	827	143 00	39 00	...	...	...	182 00	1,139 86	572 20	207 00	106 60	15 00	1,495 02	4,969 34	...	...	828
Stonington	828	24 00	...	...	...	...	24 00	1,205 26	500 25	606 05	27 90	11 00	1,795 82	2,263 34	...	...	829

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Linden	839	Lindenwood.	Ogle	Monday	71	6	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	82	...	21	3	20	...	829
Elkville	830	Elkville	Jackson	Saturday	82	1	3	6	...	1	...	...	1	...	88	...	21	10	86	...	830
Souvenir	831	Chicago	Cook	Monday	206	18	...	...	2	1	...	13	...	5	248	...	26	12	131	...	831
Boone	832	Poplar Grove.	Boone	Monday	100	11	...	3	2	...	...	10	...	...	103	...	20	3	47	...	832
Cooksville	833	Cooksville.	McLean	Tuesday	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	833
Summit	834	Waylis.	Pike	Tuesday	125	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	119	...	38	11	75	...	834
Mill Shoals.	835	Mill Shoals.	White	Saturday	91	18	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	108	...	32	10	63	...	835
St. Francisville.	836	St. Francisville.	Lawrence	Tuesday	52	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	52	...	14	2	20	...	836
Towanda	837	Towanda	McLean	Thursday	53	4	...	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	55	...	10	4	...	...	837
Gallatin	838	Shawneetown.	Gallatin	Thursday	39	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	21	...	...	...	838
Yorkville	839	Yorkville.	Kendall	Friday	33	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	30	...	16	3	...	...	839
Cypress	840	Cypress.	Johnson	Tuesday	46	18	1	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	66	...	1	...	8	...	840
Peotone	841	Peotone.	Will.	Monday	46	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	57	...	2	...	...	...	841
Peosland	842	Peosland.	Champaign	Saturday	100	7	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	99	...	31	9	33	...	842
Ridgway	843	Ridgway.	Gallatin	Saturday	104	3	...	...	2	...	...	19	...	1	85	...	17	6	13	...	843
West Point.	844	West Point.	Hancock	Wednesday.	35	7	3	1	1	...	...	4	...	...	41	...	20	3	13	...	844
...	845	...	...	Cons.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	845
Ingraham	846	Ingraham.	Clay	Wednesday.	38	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	37	...	10	1	2	...	846
Monticello	847	Chicago	Cook	Wednesday.	110	4	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	107	...	27	10	117	...	847
Wanlock	848	Viola.	Mercer	Tuesday	81	5	...	1	...	...	...	5	...	...	80	...	16	8	60	...	848
...	849	...	...	Cons.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	849
Oblong	850	Oblong.	Crawford	Wednesday.	203	4	2	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	202	...	33	10	37	...	850
Granite City.	851	Granite City.	Madison	Cons.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	851
Armstrong	852	Armstrong.	Vermillion	Monday	172	22	5	...	5	...	...	16	...	...	170	...	33	10	95	...	852
...	853	...	...	Thursday.	58	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	58	...	24	1	18	...	853
Elm River.	854	Enterprise.	Wayne	Cons.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	854
Barrington	855	Barrington.	Cook	Saturday	21	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	15	1	4	...	855
Old Colony.	856	Harrington	McLean	Thursday.	49	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	43	...	15	...	...	...	856
Englewood	857	Hudson	Cook	Friday.	32	7	...	2	...	...	...	3	...	...	30	...	12	1	4	...	857
Redford	858	Chicago	Cook	Thursday.	296	8	2	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	285	...	50	15	118	...	858
Patoka	859	Cisco.	Wayne	Thursday.	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	10	...	6	3	0	...	859
Madison	860	Patoka.	Marion	Tuesday	63	9	2	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	72	...	24	4	11	...	860
Bradley	861	Bradley.	Coles	Saturday	61	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	61	...	20	2	0	...	861
Johnsonville	862	Johnsonville.	Kankakee	Thursday.	96	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	99	...	31	16	45	...	862
...	863	...	...	Tuesday	69	3	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	3	...	18	5	81	...	863
Bowen	864	Bowen.	Hancock	Thursday.	106	12	4	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	108	...	27	7	22	...	864

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Linden.....	820	87 00	7 75		62 00	58 88	115 94	557 78	246 67	100 22	111 46		504 06	8 900 83			820
Elkville.....	830	395 00	.....	.....	62 00	.....	465 75	808 75	621 75	35 00	150 00	.....	504 75	1 429 11	.....	.....	830
Souvenir..	831	621 00	.....	.....	120 00	1 078 45	1 819 45	3 610 46	2 160 61	523 00	42 00	878 85	3 001 57	4 439 06	.....	.....	831
Boone.....	832	71 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	71 00	898 29	497 80	221 00	173 79	.....	126 04	3 435 98	.....	.....	832
Cookville.....	833	.....	.....	.....	10 00	.....	236 71	171 20	146 20	10 00	25 00	.....	21 00	1 441 47	.....	.....	833
Summit.....	834	226 71	.....	.....	45 30	80 00	336 71	696 92	456 67	10 00	230 25	.....	713 81	4 035 51	.....	.....	834
St. Francisville.....	835	159 00	.....	20 00	.....	.....	304 30	1 080 79	419 89	288 50	325 00	47 40	331 00	4 543 10	.....	.....	835
St. Francisville.....	836	62 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	62 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	836
Towanda.....	837	21 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	21 00	422 10	370 10	52 00	.....	.....	47 00	651 03	.....	.....	837
Gallatin.....	838	39 00	.....	5 00	.....	80 00	124 00	371 95	173 95	58 00	110 40	.....	195 75	2 383 53	.....	.....	838
Yorkville.....	839	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	105 70	105 70	.....	.....	.....	172 88	617 00	.....	.....	839
Cypress.....	840	24 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	24 00	480 80	200 04	257 00	29 76	.....	657 50	66 21	.....	.....	840
Peotone.....	841	88 00	.....	.....	8 00	50 00	146 00	727 15	287 15	420 00	20 00	.....	652 83	1 199 21	.....	.....	841
Foodland.....	842	40 00	60 00	.....	20 00	.....	120 00	1 021 20	513 45	116 00	967 00	21 75	1 511 79	5 056 93	.....	.....	842
Ridgway.....	843	39 00	.....	.....	.....	110 00	149 00	491 47	474 47	17 00	.....	.....	221 00	2 738 62	.....	.....	843
West Point.....	844	45 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	45 50	378 50	160 55	63 25	148 70	.....	300 00	2 579 76	.....	.....	844
.....	845	845	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	845
Ingraham.....	846	7 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	7 00	108 70	153 45	2 00	13 00	25	393 80	1 981 70	.....	.....	846
Monticello.....	847	245 00	.....	.....	15 00	103 00	363 00	961 74	682 60	80 25	.....	198 99	992 85	1 721 47	.....	.....	847
Wanlock.....	848	222 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	222 50	563 30	456 10	76 30	494 90	31 00	494 90	1 207 12	.....	.....	848
.....	849	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	849
Obiong.....	850	148 00	10 35	.....	117 97	380 22	656 54	1 200 85	1 054 49	68 00	78 30	.....	1 072 83	3 344 89	.....	.....	850
.....	851	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	851
Granite City.....	852	398 00	27 00	.....	104 00	55 00	684 00	2 962 12	992 50	355 00	1 027 82	687 30	2 412 61	1 812 14	.....	.....	852
Armstrong.....	853	54 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	54 00	539 88	269 10	57 50	297 78	5 00	254 21	2 078 60	.....	.....	853
.....	854	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	854
Olmsd.....	855	12 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	12 00	79 00	64 60	4 00	11 00	79 60	41 08	619 00	.....	.....	855
Elm River.....	856	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	470 80	246 00	.....	217 75	7 05	478 59	663 71	.....	.....	856
Barrington.....	857	24 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	24 00	557 30	198 00	119 50	219 00	.....	367 77	2 000 00	.....	.....	857
Old Colony.....	858	521 97	.....	.....	93 00	182 70	797 67	2 907 44	1 598 00	589 60	.....	761 94	2 092 43	5 613 00	.....	.....	858
Englewood.....	859	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	95 00	20 00	.....	75 00	.....	21 65	1 179 00	.....	.....	859
Bedford.....	860	30 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	30 00	93 00	372 93	141 50	.....	25 50	382 78	2 138 80	.....	.....	860
Packa.....	861	27 00	.....	.....	10 00	.....	37 00	338 63	323 83	15 00	.....	.....	157 15	2 217 05	.....	.....	861
Kardin.....	862	33 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	33 00	735 00	378 00	46 00	.....	.....	439 98	1 316 01	.....	.....	862
Bradley.....	863	256 00	.....	.....	.....	187 00	443 00	384 49	237 15	116 00	.....	161 34	439 17	2 025 63	.....	.....	863
Johnsonville.....	864	209 00	100 00			50 00	359 00	816 25	714 00		131 25		721 40	4 403 35			864

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Hopedale.....	865	Hopedale.....	Tazewell.....	Monday.....	65	7	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	69	1	24	7	27	1	895
Odin.....	866	Odin.....	Marion.....	Thursday.....	22	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	14	...	...	...	896
Grant Park.....	867	Grant Park.....	Kankakee.....	Thursday.....	66	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	59	...	24	2	33	1	897
Electric.....	868	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Wednesday.....	168	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	162	...	37	15	88	...	898
Ben Hur.....	869	.....	Kane.....	Consolidated.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	899
Avondale.....	870	Aurora.....	Cook.....	Tuesday.....	259	13	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	262	...	60	18	197	...	870
.....	871	Chicago.....	.....	Tuesday.....	138	8	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	130	...	31	12	168	...	871
Steelville.....	872	Steelville.....	Randolph.....	Closed.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	872
Carrier Mills.....	873	Carrier Mills.....	Saline.....	Tuesday.....	40	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	...	18	4	7	...	873
.....	874	.....	.....	Wednesday.....	154	8	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	147	...	27	15	72	2	874
Nathan.....	875	.....	Marion.....	Cons.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	875
Mendon.....	876	Alma.....	Adams.....	Tuesday.....	52	9	2	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	66	...	14	3	53	...	876
White City.....	877	.....	Cook.....	Friday.....	68	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	71	...	90	3	26	...	877
Sherwood.....	878	Chicago.....	Cook.....	Thursday.....	295	12	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	290	...	35	25	182	...	878
Huntley.....	879	Keyesport.....	Clinch.....	Tuesday.....	89	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	87	...	26	3	19	...	879
New Berlin.....	880	Huntley.....	McHenry.....	Thursday.....	42	7	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	54	...	14	2	17	...	880
.....	881	New Berlin.....	Sangamon.....	Tuesday.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	881
Detroit.....	882	.....	.....	Closed.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	882
Willow Hill.....	883	Detroit.....	Pike.....	Tuesday.....	65	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	63	...	31	3	17	...	883
Sampson.....	884	Willow Hill.....	Jasper.....	Friday.....	79	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	75	...	21	6	47	2	884
Hidalgo.....	885	Dawson.....	Sangamon.....	Tuesday.....	43	22	1	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	60	...	15	1	2	...	885
Mount Erie.....	886	Hidalgo.....	Wayne.....	Tuesday.....	118	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	106	...	30	20	52	...	886
Primas.....	887	MT. Erie.....	Wayne.....	Thursday.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	887
Rock River.....	888	Plymouth.....	Hancock.....	Tuesday.....	290	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	203	...	29	11	168	...	888
Wauconda.....	889	Glen Carbon.....	Madison.....	Saturday.....	222	23	2	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	239	...	23	38	168	...	889
A. T. Sherman.....	890	Erie.....	Whiteside.....	Thursday.....	112	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	118	...	15	5	16	...	890
Bismarck.....	891	Wauconda.....	Lake.....	Friday.....	36	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	...	37	15	...	...	891
Cropsey.....	892	Wilmette.....	Cook.....	Thursday.....	100	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	98	...	32	7	60	...	892
Ellwood.....	893	Bismarck.....	Vermilion.....	Thursday.....	102	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	86	...	14	14	67	1	893
Granville.....	894	Cropsey.....	McLean.....	Tuesday.....	72	9	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	81	...	30	4	36	...	894
Mulberry.....	895	Evansville.....	Randolph.....	Thursday.....	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	9	2	7	...	895
Gila.....	896	Granville.....	Putnam.....	Thursday.....	45	16	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	62	...	19	2	8	...	896
Keenville.....	897	.....	.....	Closed.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	897
.....	898	Mulberry Grove.....	Bond.....	Thursday.....	30	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	...	9	2	6	...	898
.....	899	Gila.....	Jasper.....	Thursday.....	40	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	...	21	1	2	...	899
.....	900	Keenville.....	Wayne.....	Friday.....	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	35	...	9	2	13	...	900

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Hopedale.....	865	60 00				100 00	160 00	700 10	580 10	121 00	80 00		480 00	2,155 40			865
Odin.....	866	99 00	10 00				109 00	118 33	95 08	6 00	17 00	25	112 90	253 28			866
Grant Park.....	867	441 00				195 00	724 00	1,390 91	974 60	18 00	40 00	90 00	1,667 26	743 70	.....	.....	867
Electric.....	868							1,390 91	974 60		2 17	396 14	1,667 26	1,344 70	.....	.....	868
Ben Hur.....	869	532 00				130 00	966 58	2,082 89	1,422 50	242 00		418 39	2,061 52	9,011 62	.....	.....	869
Avondale.....	870	417 00				200 00	667 00	1,148 50	888 25	95 00	33 75	159 30	1,392 04	1,093 42	.....	.....	870
Steeleville.....	872	210 00		10 00			31 00	306 70	247 70	44 00		15 00	250 25	537 74	.....	.....	872
Carrier Mills.....	874	216 00	15 55			100 00	421 95	1,583 86	764 41	138 40	555 05	136 00	3,379 93	10,321 37	.....	.....	874
Nathan.....	875	113 00				50 00	163 00	548 92	242 92	131 00	175 00	.....	433 76	2,048 00	.....	.....	875
Mendon.....	876	703 00				285 00	43 00	337 25	305 25	32 00		.....	99 00	434 84	.....	.....	876
White City.....	877	57 60		55 00			1,162 00	3,380 86	2,079 05	207 25	132 00	902 56	3,033 11	6,664 34	.....	.....	877
Sherwood.....	878	34 00				50 00	107 00	600 57	405 10	49 00	83 97	32 56	577 81	1,579 25	.....	.....	878
Huntley.....	879					50 00	84 00	523 25	163 75	117 60	182 50	.....	706 91	1,068 72	.....	.....	879
New Berlin.....	881											.....			.....	.....	881
Detroit.....	882	54 00					54 00	300 69	262 53	10 00	28 16	.....	268 87	1,856 90	.....	.....	882
Willow Hill.....	883	124 00				100 22	233 22	346 90	306 75	23 00	17 15	.....	486 86	914 51	.....	.....	883
Sampson.....	885	6 00	13 00			80 00	69 00	882 16	263 30	364 20	181 50	73 10	435 37	3,122 30	.....	.....	885
Hidalgo.....	886	156 00					236 00	405 00	405 00			.....	286 00	1,617 75	.....	.....	886
Mount Erie.....	887	441 00				64 00	505 00					.....			.....	.....	887
Plymouth.....	888	32 00		5 00		160 00	958 00	2,475 10	1,600 00	331 40	377 35	86 65	1,946 86	6,997 94	.....	.....	888
Primas.....	889					50 00	82 00	1,046 53	466 25	248 00	392 30	.....	511 21	2,647 93	.....	.....	889
Rock River.....	890							1,046 53	466 25	248 00		.....	159 86	337 54	.....	.....	890
Wauconda.....	891							1,046 53	466 25	248 00		.....	159 86	337 54	.....	.....	891
A. T. Sherman.....	892	220 00				100 00	320 00	907 40	630 65	55 00	211 75	10 00	886 67	2,992 12	.....	.....	892
Bismarck.....	893	255 00	32 00				385 00	985 66	492 35	5 20		488 31	436 50	1,632 54	.....	.....	893
Crosey.....	894	105 00					115 00	635 75	420 10	129 40	89 00	3 25	566 89	2,244 10	.....	.....	894
Elwood.....	895	24 50					24 50	184 22	316 40	248 50	27 72	.....	113 02	784 05	.....	.....	895
Granville.....	896	21 00					21 00	564 90	316 40			.....	238 29	583 05	.....	.....	896
Mulberry.....	897	18 00					18 00	171 00	123 00	18 00	30 00	.....	46 91	1,466 17	.....	.....	897
Gla.....	898	6 00					6 00	179 00	141 00		38 00		187 97	1,632 53			898
Kearville.....	900	39 00	50 00				89 00	113 00	113 00				111 10	702 00			900

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Loami	901	Loami	Sangamon.....	Monday	69	4	2	2	3	..	..	5	..	1	91	..	17	6	25	..	901
Horace	902	Horace	Edgar	Saturday	86	3	..	..	1	..	..	17	..	1	91	1	22	16	74	..	902
Golden Star	903	Chicago.....	Cook	Tuesday	200	8	3	..	2	..	..	10	..	1	186	..	22	16	101	..	903
Allen	904	Bonnie	Jefferson	Saturday	100	16	12	..	..	..	..	10	..	1	79	..	17	10	53	1	904
Stewardson	905	Stewardson	Shelby	Thursday	108	3	1	..	3	..	..	4	..	1	167	..	26	8	29	1	905
Timber	906	Glasford	Peoria.....	Wednesday	152	26	1	1	..	3	..	4	..	2	170	..	24	8	27	..	906
Denmark	907	Chicago.....	Cook	Cons	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	23	19	83	..	907
Golden Deeds	908	Chicago.....	Cook	Saturday	257	11	1	1	3	..	..	9	..	3	254	2	23	12	..	..	908
Eagle Creek	909	Chicago.....	Cook	Friday	168	12	..	1	1	1	..	10	..	3	167	..	16	19	82	..	909
Russellville	910	Eagle	Saline	Saturday	40	1	..	1	1	..	..	2	..	1	167	..	16	12	..	1	910
Illopolis	911	Russellville	Lawrence	Saturday	46	14	3	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	60	..	16	4	..	..	911
Industry	912	Illopolis	Sangamon	Tuesday	58	5	..	3	..	..	..	2	..	1	56	..	19	7	24	..	912
Stockland	913	Industry	McDonough	Monday	120	..	1	..	1	..	..	13	..	3	106	..	21	13	83	..	913
Ironopolis	914	Stockland	Ironopolis	Saturday	26	1	2	2	3	..	..	6	..	..	26	..	12	1	6	1	914
Bruce	915	Bruce	Montrie	Tuesday	52	2	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	47	..	20	11	41	..	915
River Jordan	916	Chicago.....	Cook	Wednesday	152	6	1	8	1	1	..	19	..	2	138	..	29	13	77	..	916
Golden Harmony	917	Chicago.....	Cook	Wednesday	405	48	1	1	1	1	..	42	..	1	417	..	20	17	117	..	917
Rapatee	918	Rapatee	Knox	Thursday	68	1	3	..	..	..	..	6	..	1	65	..	25	3	19	..	918
Valley	919	Saline Valley	Saline	Saturday	67	3	1	1	2	..	..	7	..	1	62	..	19	3	12	..	919
Smithshire	920	Smithshire	Warren	Closed	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	54	..	15	1	21	..	920
Weldon	921	Smithshire	Warren	Monday	53	4	3	3	3	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	921
Westervelt	922	Weldon	De Witt	Friday	76	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	74	1	17	10	77	..	922
Chauncey	923	Westervelt	Shelby	Thursday	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	92	..	..	..	923
Denver	924	Chauncey	Lawrence	Cons	101	2	..	..	1	..	..	9	..	..	93	..	..	..	..	..	924
Villa Grove	925	Denver	Hancock	Tuesday	23	..	..	..	2	..	..	7	..	1	13	23	..	..	..	..	925
Camargo	926	Denver	Douglas	Monday	95	3	4	3	3	..	..	4	..	1	94	..	24	3	8	1	926
Reddick	927	Villa Grove	Douglas	Saturday	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	927
Pride of Egypt	928	Camargo	Kankakee	Wednesday	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	928
Herod	929	Reddick	Kankakee	Cons	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	929
Carnation	930	Herod	Randolph	Cons	73	16	3	3	3	1	..	5	..	1	88	..	19	4	17	..	930
Rock Island	931	Herod	Pope	Tuesday	67	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	14	5	14	..	931
Rec'ers	932	Herod	Pope	Friday	294	3	3	2	2	..	..	20	..	1	67	..	22	25	138	..	932
Brownfield	933	Chicago.....	Cook	Wednesday	175	24	3	1	3	..	..	14	..	1	246	..	26	9	34	4	933
..	934	East Moline	Rock Island	Thursday	294	3	1	3	1	..	..	7	..	1	175	5	19	9	94	..	934
..	935	Reeves	Williamson	Thursday	75	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	69	..	13	4	13	..	935
..	936	Brownfield	Pope	Thursday	36	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	36	..	..	..	..	..	936

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Loami.....	301	80 00				30 00	110 00	572 86	427 30	63 40	82 16	18 50	219 17	2,290 03			901
Horace.....	902	236 00				4 00	240 00	698 09	423 59	53 00	203 00	18 50	721 79	4,190 35			902
Golden Star.....	903	316 00				176 05	533 05	1,393 96	1,019 25	70 00	28 66	276 05	1,356 99	2,077 23			903
Allen.....	904	169 70	5 00			53 00	317 70	392 25	175 00	210 25	7 00		1,322 00	1,780 00			904
Stewardson.....	905	87 00				30 60	167 60	679 97	441 46	43 50	121 00	74 01	711 71	2,398 48			905
Timber.....	906	108 00				258 50	1,448 76	907 57	402 50	123 06	265 09	117 07	850 00	5,906 00			906
Denmark.....	907						1,377 00										907
Golden Deeds.....	908	927 00				450 00	704 00	1,519 60	956 56	278 00		285 10	1,812 78	3,615 00			908
Frederick.....	909	404 00	10 00			300 00	704 00	1,167 25	149 25	18 00			46 00	1,743 12			909
Russellville.....	910	72 00					96 00	472 00	195 00	167 00	50 00		291 97	1,481 86			910
Illinois.....	911	96 00		5 00			172 50										911
Industry.....	912	299 50				95 50	421 82	827 55	642 75		181 35	3 25	769 25	5,190 35			912
Stockland.....	913	18 00	26 20			107 50	132 18	187 07	48 67		128 00	10 40	141 80	1,186 30			913
Bruce.....	914	131 08					492 50	228 00	192 00	31 00	5 00		217 53	1,161 83			914
River Jordan.....	915	492 50					1,312 00	1,059 10	142 40			110 84	1,336 60	380 78			915
Golden Harmony.....	916	452 50				300 00	965 00	4,386 69	2,910 40	985 00	168 19	372 50	3,376 16	9,757 00			916
Rapatee.....	917	57 00				80 00	137 00	377 03	130 00	35 00	5 03	107 00	316 51	1,215 40			917
Valley.....	918	36 00					36 00	207 00	149 80	48 60	9 11		147 45	1,293 37			918
Smithshire.....	919	81 00				60 00	149 40	428 30	321 70	80 40		26 20	2,235 24	1,949 64			919
Weldon.....	920																920
Westervelt.....	921	201 00				86 25	287 25	696 34	410 34	14 00	272 00		686 37	5,181 44			921
Chauncey.....	922																922
Denver.....	923	255 00				50 00	50 00	643 20	561 00	49 20	33 00		301 50	4,125 01			923
Villa Grove.....	924	16 00	1 00			100 00	168 00	196 85	106 05	70 00	90 80	111 75	62 00	325 81			924
Camargo.....	925							747 20	407 45		155 00		476 75	1,100 50			925
Reddie.....	926																926
Pride of Egypt.....	927	66 00				78 00	144 00	799 65	635 50	239 00	25 15	5 00	462 44	2,748 81			927
Herod.....	928	29 00					29 00	277 67	231 71	31 00	9 96		276 67	1,190 95			928
Carnation.....	929	653 00				311 00	1,059 00	2,665 84	237 45	488 00	41 66	199 73	2,417 60	3,552 43			929
Automobile.....	930	126 00	8 00				134 00	2,629 40	901 69	238 00	642 92	286 95	2,772 05	2,363 81			930
Reeves.....	931	206 00				70 00	276 00	779 20	350 60	5 00	310 00	104 60	772 05	4,484 71			931
Brownfield.....	932	39 00					44 00	71 55	69 70		1 65		123 87	568 47			932

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Lerna.....	937	42 00				80 00	122 00	209 30	201 30	187 60	5 20	14 00	177 00	962 69			937
Carlock.....	938	105 00			5 00		110 00	203 70	187 60	90 00		13 00	269 46	580 98			938
Keensburg.....	939	98 00			10 00		108 00	480 91	399 91	85 85			553 44	641 26			939
Wolf Lake.....	940							150 85		65 00			66 00	582 15			940
Rockport.....	941	156 00			9 25		165 25	699 75	444 55	99 00	156 50		465 00	1,984 30			941
Midway.....	942	129 00		5 00		100 00	234 00	548 40	317 80	219 00		11 00	503 40	731 00			942
Witt.....	943	50 00			93 80		143 80	766 00	505 00	147 00		114 00	444 81	1,017 17			943
Pilgrim.....	944	78 00					78 00	281 90	200 40	69 00			167 46	813 46			944
Waltonville.....	945	90 00					90 00	704 82	327 10	61 20	12 50		480 96	2,822 50			945
Sesser.....	946	18 00					18 00	397 75	173 75	139 00	85 00		250 50	572 73			946
Nortonville.....	947	12 00					12 00	319 80	257 10	62 70			31 00	1,500 00			947
G. Carducci.....	948	397 00					557 25	1,689 41	860 65	718 00		100 76	1,109 25	1,853 89			948
Beechwood.....	949		150 25	10 00													949
Golden Gate.....	950																950
Golden Gate.....	951																951
Richview.....	952	81 00			7 20	70 00	158 20	490 65	302 85	46 00		62 10	394 21	1,047 34			952
Tyrone.....	953	343 50	10 00			360 66	713 56	1,304 70	899 70	222 00	183 00		1,018 50	1,408 00			953
Adeline.....	954							74 00	54 75	12 50	6 75		2,565 00	447 25			954
Annapolis.....	955	18 00		2 50		100 00	180 50	482 25	241 50	84 00	40 00	116 75	503 99	1,198 98			955
Libertyville.....	956	134 00				200 00	374 00	819 62	399 00	15 00		405 62	999 48	1,511 00			956
Richview.....	957	9 00					9 00	298 00	155 00		23 00	120 00	227 80	131 00			957
Hord.....	958							313 77	197 77	33 00	83 00		80 00	3,004 50			958
Edgewood.....	959	51 00					51 00	406 20	266 40	49 80	150 00		592 84	2,390 00			959
Rose Leaf.....	960							236 75	160 75	76 00			181 00	767 17			960
Mercedosa.....	961	48 00					48 00	332 39	261 15	41 00	9 00	21 24	414 22	1,503 40			961
Bridge City.....	962	39 00		5 00	5 00	56 00	105 00	303 63	204 00	72 00	26 00	1 63	339 94	1,200 00			962
Reynolds.....	963	19 00				58 65	77 65	301 91	230 00		16 66	55 25	313 81	583 70			963
Augusta.....	964							503 98	478 90	25 00			545 52	2,020 19			964
Vernilion.....	965	57 00		2 50	2 50	51 00	113 00	301 91	478 90				545 52	2,020 19			965
Hardinville.....	966	319 00			96 00	325 00	740 00	1,632 10	682 40	117 50	247 00	555 20	407 00	1,31 50			966
Hardinville.....	967	110 00				82 00	192 00	643 00	538 00	105 00			454 81	1,170 96			967
Tilden.....	968																968
Big Neck.....	969	39 00					39 00	502 28	361 00	81 00	151 28		703 47	1,161 81			969
Fiatt.....	970	42 00					42 00	161 00	130 00	19 00	6 00		117 00	1,160 00			970
East Berlin.....	971	12 00					12 00	388 85	140 95	50 00	187 50		320 49	1,750 00			971
East Berlin.....	972	76 00			32 75		108 75	480 00	301 85	103 00	24 50		270 00	1,768 50			972

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Fairmount	973	Fairmount.	Vermilion.	Monday.	108	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	101	1	14	10	52	..	973
Adair	974	Adair.	McDonough.	Thursday.	47	5	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	44	..	21	..	..	..	974
Leamington	975	Leamington	Gallatin.	Saturday.	54	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	975
Macoupin Valley	976	Macoupin	Macoupin.	Thursday.	120	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	100	..	13	16	77	1	976
Ashton	977	Ashton	Lee.	Monday.	120	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	121	16	9	44	977	..	977
True Blue	978	Faxon.	Ford.	Monday.	46	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	4	14	1	978
Success	979	Walnut.	Bureau.	Monday.	34	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	28	9	..	..	..	..	979
West Sharon	980	Union Church.	Payette.	Thursday.	30	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	27	12	2	26	..	..	980
Gilham	981	Woburn.	Road.	Wednesday.	36	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	37	..	8	12	..	..	981
Plainview	982	Plainview.	Macoupin.	Thursday.	48	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	52	14	7	10	..	..	982
Prairie Bell	983	Fancy Prairie.	Macoupin.	Thursday.	23	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	20	8	..	..	..	..	983
Oconee	984	Oconee.	Shelby.	Tuesday.	25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	7	..	..	..	..	984
Schram City	985	Schram City.	Montgomery	Wednesday.	57	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	58	11	21	119	..	..	985
Mulkeytown	986	Mulkeytown.	Franklin.	Wednesday.	73	5	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	75	12	9	25	..	..	986
Van Burensburg	987	Van Burensburg	Montgomery	Saturday.	42	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	42	7	3	6	..	..	987
Dallas City	988	Dallas City.	Hancock.	Consolidated	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	988
Jno. Cerson Smith	989	Chicago.	Cook.	Monday.	77	9	3	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	74	20	3	6	..	..	989
West End	990	West End.	Sullivan.	Thursday.	158	4	3	1	3	..	..	12	..	..	149	24	6	43	..	..	990
Belle River	991	Belle River.	Jefferson.	Monday.	50	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	54	9	2	4	..	..	991
Mt. Auburn	992	Mt. Auburn.	Christian.	Friday.	37	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	9	..	..	..	..	992
Emington	993	Emington.	Livingston.	Thursday.	64	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	61	12	1	..	..	..	993
Valley View	994	Reynoldsville.	Union.	Thursday.	38	12	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	51	10	7	10	3	..	994
Matherville	995	Matherville	Schuyler.	Thursday.	30	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	27	9	3	8	..	..	995
Pittsburg	996	Pittsburg	Merced.	Tuesday.	105	10	1	1	1	..	..	3	..	..	97	21	14	52	..	..	996
Green River	997	Green River.	Williamson.	Thursday.	45	26	1	1	1	..	..	5	..	..	100	13	6	17	..	..	997
Webster	998	Webster.	Hancock.	Wednesday.	64	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	71	13	3	11	..	..	998
Wheaton	999	Wheaton.	Lee.	Thursday.	95	2	4	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	58	12	3	17	..	..	999
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Haskell	1002	Haskell.	Du Page.	Friday.	91	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	98	..	..	..	..	..	1002
Trilla	1003	Trilla.	Lee.	Monday.	96	6	2	1	1	..	..	6	..	..	98	19	10	79	..	..	1003
Hyperion	1004	Hyperion.	Coles.	Tuesday.	71	10	..	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	77	13	2	13	..	..	1004
South Side	1005	Taylorville.	Christian.	Wednesday.	46	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	43	11	1	3	..	..	1005
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Orchardville	1007	Orchardville.	Wayne.	Friday.	127	3	1	..	1	..	..	6	..	..	122	17	9	91	..	..	1007
Orchardville	1008	Orchardville.	Wayne.	Thursday.	127	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	122	17	9	91	..	..	1008

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Fluorine	1010	148 00				50 00	273 00	486 00	263 50	222 00		7 50	398 80	718 38			1010
Fillmore	1011	93 00			65 00		93 00	271 80	176 40	95 56			334 64	482 40			1011
Cass	1012							86 20	86 20				79 60	844 79			1012
Harvard	1013	72 00					122 00	619 98	402 00	180 53	55 23	12 50	1,103 00	927 68			1013
Elburn	1014	22 00				50 00	72 00	307 80	283 20	14 00	10 60	307 80	123 00	778 08			1014
Hanna City	1015	136 00		61 60			197 60	653 37	611 37	42 00			418 62	3,769 50			1015
Stillwell	1016																1016
Stillwell	1017	39 00					39 00	187 50	173 15	14 00	35		184 41	635 18			1017
Etna	1018	27 00					27 00	348 99	245 99	88 00		15 00	282 20	968 80			1018
Tamms	1019	8 00					8 00	198 25	167 25	5 00	26 00		159 07	265 93			1019
Diona	1020	51 00			3 00		54 00	174 35	150 35	24 00			82 00	636 40			1020
Hammond	1021																1021
Jas. R. Kewley	1022	175 00			60 00		235 00	1,263 90	915 90	318 00			1,298 03	1,620 64			1022
Chambersburg	1023							145 40	145 40				35 00	218 96			1023
Wood River	1024	64 00					64 00	922 03	409 56	172 00	340 47		835 21	746 76			1024
Pern Leaf	1025	31 50				50 00	81 50	252 50	167 00	85 00		56	223 77	233 56			1025
Honewood	1026	322 00				95 00	417 00	982 00	725 00	255 00		2 00	701 97	1,865 08			1026
Buffalo Hart	1027	30 00					30 00										1027
Lomax	1028	31 00					31 00	375 96	194 15	108 90	13 50	58 51	325 47	504 60			1028
Manito	1029	12 00				85 00	97 00	292 95	162 80	34 00		96 05	174 50	409 97			1029
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Universal Peace	1035	314 50		15 00	60 00	896 60	786 10	1,933 23	1,467 08	362 88	41 08	92 16	2,123 20	5,073 98			1035
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Pesotum	559	Ridge Farm	678 R 499
Petersburg	123 R 92	Ridgway	843 R 630
Philo	364 R 594	Ripley	458
Pinckneyville	159 R 341	River Grove	295 R 389
Piper City	471 R 325	Riverton	445 R 743
Pittsburg	998 R 802	Robinson	124 R 495
Pittsfield	95 R 88	Rochelle	230 R 471
Plainview	982 R 775	Rochester	268 R 573
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Rock Grove	763 R 699	Sidney	473 R 661
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Rockport	941 R 505	Sims	745 R 297
Roodhouse	681 R 148	Smithfield	103 R 648
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Roseville	537 R 653	Sorento	656 R 761
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Samoth	617	Stillwell	1017
Sandoval	395 R 52	Stockland	914
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Sciota	552 R 331	Sumner	249 R 209
Scottville	226 R 764	Swan Creek	203
Seaton	780 R 456	Sycamore	105 R 34
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Seneca	491	Tamaroa	97 R 501
Sesser	946 R 684	Tamms	1019 R 771
Seymour	597 R 564	Taylorville	413, 1006 R 257
Shannon	573 R 483	Tennessee	520
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Sheffield	808 R 421	Thawville	816 R 387
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Sheldon	349 R 19	Thompsonville	582 R 144
Sherman	1002 R 641	Thomson	456 R 675

Tilden	969 R 768	Warsaw	71 R 51
Timothy	604 R 606	Washburn	546
Tioga	620	Washington	144 R 39
Tiskilwa	147 R 397	Wataga	598 R 459
Toledo	355 R 30	Waterloo	27 R 672
Tonica	298	Watseka	74 R 440
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Towanda	837	Wauconda	891
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Trenton	555 R 593	Waverly	93 R 104
Trilla	1005 R 218	Wayne City	558 R 204
Troy	25 R 544	Waynesville	104 R 17
Tunnel Hill	611 R 215	Webster	1000 R 409
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Unionville	621	West Belleville	369 R 99
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Vergennes	781 R 306	West Point	844 R 504
Vermillion	563 R 693	West Pullman	817 R 401
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Vienna	340 R 187	Whitefield	572
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Villa Ridge	439 R 713	Whittington	1034
Viola	848 R 489	Williamsfield	779
Virden	534 R 528	Williamsville	363
Virginia	68 R 239	Willow Hill	884 R 470
Waggoner	404 R 818	Wilmette	892
Walnut	979	Wilmington	301
Walnut Grove	950	Wilton Center.....	640
Walnut Hill	710	Winchester	70 R 61
Waltonville	945 R 173	Windsor	576 R 118
Wapella	255 R 443	Winterrowd	R 361
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Wood River	1024 R 690	Yates City	370 R 561
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TELEGRAPHIC CIPHER AND KEY.

As amended by the Sovereign Grand Lodge.

DOUBT.—Identity in doubt. Wire description.

GRIP.—Draw on us for the amount of expenses incurred.

HELP.—Will your Lodge pay nurse hire, and how much per day?

HOUSE.—Is in our city, holding visiting card from your Lodge, and asking of us financial assistance.

LODGE.—Forward remains to this place by.....

PURPLE.—We think best to bury him there.

RED.—Holding a visiting card from your Lodge died here.

REGALIA.—Assist him and we will honor draft to extent of \$.....

RIVER.—Has your Lodge a member in good standing by the name of.....?

ROCK.—A member of our Lodge is in your city needing assistance. His name and address are.....

SECRETARY.—He has a fraudulent card.

WHITE.—We don't know any such party, and he does not belong to our Lodge.

WIDOW.—Wife or child of deceased member of your Lodge is in our city asking assistance. Shall we draw on you to the extent of \$.....?

YELLOW.—Is in our city very sick. Claims membership in your Lodge. Shall we give him attendance on your account?

OFFICERS

OF THE

Grand Lodge of Illinois, I. O. O. F.

Since Its Organization

GRAND MASTERS.

Date.	Name.	No.	Date.	Name.	No.
1838	Samuel C. Pierce*.....	1	1865	Joseph R. Scroggs*.....	30
1839	Alexander Botkin*.....	2	1866	Henry S. Herr*.....	77
1842	Eli Cook*.....	6	1867	Jediah F. Alexander*.....	3
1843	Thomas J. Burns*.....	6	1868	J. Ward Ellis*.....	22
1844	John C. Doremus*.....	6	1869	J. Ward Ellis*.....	22
1845	John L. Peake* vacancy..	6	1870	Thomas B. Needles*.....	37
1845	Thomas Alsop*.....	6	1871	John C. Smith*.....	17
1846	Stevens S. Jones*.....	14	1872	Fredolin Bross*.....	224
1847	William H. Parker*.....	7	1873	Thomas F. Mitchell*.....	77
1848	Charles H. Constable*....	35	1874	Elijah B. Sherman*.....	214
1849	George W. Woodward*...	17	1875	John H. Oberly*.....	224
1850	D. P. Wilbanks*.....	19	1876	Amos Henderson.....	4
1851	Isaac G. Wilson* vacancy.	47	1877	John Lake*.....	140
1851	Henry L. Rucker*.....	11	1878	Alfred Orendorff*.....	465
1852	John W. Davenport*.....	38	1879	Augustus W. Berggren...	446
1853	William Rounseville*....	14	1880	James S. Ticknor*.....	31
1854	James E. Starr*.....	2	1881	Alonzo Ellwood*.....	105
1855	Perry A. Armstrong*.....	75	1882	Columbus A. Keller*.....	13
1856	Augustus C. Marsh*.....	36	1883	James R. Miller*.....	426
1857	Willis Duff Green*.....	13	1884	E. Frisbie Phelps.....	478
1858	Harrison W. Griswold*...	30	1885	Andrew D. Sanders*.....	465
1859	B. J. Frank Hanna*.....	57	1886	Joseph S. Carr*.....	430
1860	Jeremiah Griswold*.....	250	1887	George F. Howard.....	664
1861	Henry S. Austin*.....	109	1888	J Otis Humphrey*.....	465
1862	Harman G. Reynolds*.....	6	1889	John L. Barnum*.....	9
1863	John G. Rogers*.....	22	1890	Robert W. S. Wheatley*..	232
1864	Amasa S. Barry*.....	2	1891	Martin W. Schaefer.....	650

*Known to be dead.

GRAND MASTERS—Continued.

Date.	Name.	No.	Date.	Name.	No.
1892	Edwin S. Conway.....	217	1906	Fred B. Merrills.....	650
1893	Henry A. Stone*.....	562	1907	Owen Scott.....	186
1894	Henry Phillips*.....	68	1908	William M. Groves.....	117
1895	Charles F. Mansfield....	589	1909	Eldo R. Sayler.....	6
1896	George C. Rankin.....	160	1910	James Ewing Davis.....	450
1897	Cicero J. Lindly.....	3	1911	William A. Hubbard.....	342
1898	Melvin P. Berry.....	412	1912	John E. Jennings.....	158
1899	Leroy L. McKinley.....	41	1913	Warren C. Darnall.....	746
1900	James R. Kewley*.....	450	1914	William H. Pease.....	80
1901	John W. Yantis.....	117	1915	J. J. Crowder.....	21
1902	Charles S. Harris.....	478	1916	A. Otis Arnold.....	12
1903	John J. Brown.....	122	1917	H. M. Blood.....	645
1904	John A. Lucas.....	69	1918	L. M. Kagy.....	114
1905	William R. Humphrey*...240				

DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS.

Date.	Name.	No.	Date.	Name.	No.
1838	Alexander Botkin*.....	2	1860	Joel W. Smull*.....	155
1839	A. W. Chenoweth*.....		1861	A. B. Austin*.....	91
1842	W. D. Mitchell, short term*	3	1862	Joseph R. Scroggs*.....	30
1842	Christopher G. Y. Taylor*.	7	1863	William W. Winter*.....	257
1843	Joseph Sturgis*.....	7	1864	John Lake*.....	31
1844	John L. Peake*.....	6	1865	Jediah F. Alexander*.....	3
1845	M. F. Wickersham*		1866	Edward A. Rucker*.....	11
	vacancy	6	1867	Amos Watts*.....	37
1845	Henry Gooding*.....	3	1868	T. Warren Floyd*.....	220
1846	Stevens S. Jones* vacancy	14	1869	Thomas F. Mitchell*.....	77
1846	Thomas Elmes*.....	12	1870	Richard H. Jordan.....	214
1847	Washington J. Taylor*....	15	1871	Samuel A. Flagler*.....	233
1848	Franklin Scammon*.....	11	1872	Washington L. Sweeney*..	18
1849	D. P. Wilbanks*.....	19	1873	Albert G. Wolford*.....	1
1850	Isaac G. Wilson*.....	47	1874	W. A. Welscher.....	199
1851	Isaac S. Hicks*.....	4	1875	Thomas M. Blake.....	259
1852	John Filkins*.....	9	1876	Michael W. Piggott.....	406
1853	Charles P. Dunbaugh*....	16	1877	Augustus W. Berggren....	446
1854	Allen C. Lewis*.....	22	1878	Andrew T. Sherman*.....	400
1855	B. J. Frank Hanna*.....	57	1879	Alonzo Ellwood*.....	105
1856	Gustavus A. Smith*.....	65	1880	James R. Miller*.....	426
1857	George F. Crocker*.....	22	1881	Columbus A. Keller*.....	13
1858	O. P. Hatheway*.....	201	1882	E. Frisbie Phelps.....	478
1859	John P. Foss*.....	55	1883	Andrew D. Sanders*.....	465

*Known to be dead.

DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS—Continued.

Date.	Name.	No.	Date.	Name.	No.
1884	Joseph S. Carr*	430	1902	John J. Brown	122
1885	James R. Miller*	69	1903	John A. Lucas	69
1886	George F. Howard	664	1904	William R. Humphrey*	240
1887	J. Otis Humphrey*	465	1905	Fred B. Merrills	650
1888	John L. Barnum*	9	1906	Owen Scott	186
1889	Robert W. S. Wheatley*	232	1907	William M. Groves	117
1890	Martin W. Schaerer	650	1908	Eldo R. Saylor	6
1891	Edwin S. Conway	217	1909	James Ewing Davis	450
1892	Henry A. Stone*	562	1910	William A. Hubbard	342
1893	Henry Phillips*	68	1911	John E. Jennings	158
1894	Charles F. Mansfield	589	1912	Warren C. Darnall	746
1895	George C. Rankin	160	1913	W. H. Pease	80
1896	Cicero J. Lindly	3	1914	John J. Crowder	21
1897	Melvin P. Berry	412	1915	A. Otis Arnold	12
1898	Leroy L. McKinley	41	1916	H. M. Blood	645
1899	James R. Kewley*	450	1917	L. M. Kagy	114
1900	John W. Yantis	117	1918	John W. Birney	77
1901	Charles S. Harris	478			

GRAND WARDENS.

Date.	Name.	No.	Date.	Name.	No.
1838	David P. Berry*	1	1861	Albert G. Lull*	22
1839	Daniel Ward*	1	1862	William W. Winter*	257
1842	Michael Rapp*	4	1863	A. J. Sprague*	232
1843	John L. Peake*	6	1864	Isaac W. Baldwin*	5
1844	M. F. Wickersham*	6	1865	John A. Bush*	21
1845	Thomas Alsop*	6	1866	John A. Bush*	21
1846	William M. Parker*	7	1867	W. F. Kelsch*	11
1847	Morris Lindsay*	6	1868	Thomas B. Needles*	37
1848	John M. Law*	21	1869	Fredolin Bross*	224
1849	J. J. Lescher*	20	1870	Charles W. Heaton	44
1850	Henry A. Foster*	21	1871	James R. Miller*	69
1851	David B. Jackson*	40	1872	John H. Young	22
1852	John W. Shinn*	15	1873	Andrew T. Sherman*	400
1853	Albert G. Wolford*	2	1874	Thomas M. Blake	259
1854	William R. Lockwood*	12	1875	James F. Drish*	260
1855	Tyler J. Irish*	87	1876	Augustus W. Berggren	446
1856	Harrison W. Griswold*	30	1877	Robert B. Foster*	89
1857	W. R. Weld*	59	1878	Robert K. Dewey	3
1858	Charles E. Winthrop*	97	1879	Robert H. Flanigan	284
1859	Andrew H. Marschalk*	241	1880	Columbus A. Keller*	13
1860	Lewis W. Smith*	90	1881	E. Frisbie Phelps	478

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GRAND WARDENS—Continued.

Date.	Name.	No.	Date.	Name.	No.
1882	W. W. Krape.....	30	1901	John J. Brown.....	122
1883	David L. Murdock*.....	290	1902	John A. Lucas.....	69
1884	Swan A. Miller.....	745	1903	William R. Humphrey*....	240
1885	George F. Howard.....	664	1904	Fred B. Merrills.....	650
1886	John Schnitzer.....	389	1905	Owen Scott.....	186
1887	John L. Barnum*.....	9	1906	William M. Groves.....	117
1888	W. H. Underwood, jr.....	447	1907	Eldo R. Sayler.....	6
1889	Martin W. Schaefer.....	650	1908	James Ewing Davis.....	450
1890	Edwin S. Conway.....	217	1909	William A. Hubbard.....	342
1891	Henry A. Stone*.....	122	1910	John E. Jennings.....	158
1892	Henry Phillips*.....	68	1911	John A. Lopp*.....	35
1893	Charles F. Mansfield.....	589	1911	Warren C. Darnall.....	746
1894	George C. Rankin.....	160	1912	W. H. Pease.....	80
1895	Cicero J. Lindly.....	3	1913	Jno. J. Crowder.....	21
1896	Melvin P. Berry.....	412	1914	A. Otis Arnold.....	12
1897	Leroy L. McKinley.....	41	1915	H. M. Blood.....	645
1898	James R. Kewley*.....	450	1916	L. M. Kagy.....	114
1899	John W. Yantis.....	117	1917	John W. Birney.....	77
1900	Charles S. Harris.....	478	1918	C. A. Robbins.....	39

GRAND SECRETARIES.

Date.	Name.	No.	Date.	Name.	No.
1838	Samuel L. Miller*.....	1	1862	James E. Starr*.....	269
1839	Alfred Shannon*.....	1	1864	Samuel Willard*.....	6
1842	Thomas J. Burns*.....	6	1869	Nathaniel Coffin Nason...	109
1843	Lucien B. Adams*.....	8	1886	Freeman E. Huddle*.....	77
1846	John F. Ruhe*.....	6	1888	George M. Adams.....	400
1847	Stephen A. Corneau*.....	6	1892	James R. Miller*.....	426
1856	Samuel Willard*.....	43, 265	1902-1918	John H. Sikes.....	465

GRAND TREASURERS.

Date.	Name.	No.	Date.	Name.	No.
1838	John M. Krum*.....	2	1849	John G. Ives*.....	6
1839	John R. Woods*.....	2	1855	James Jackson*.....	4
1842	Morris Lindsay*.....	6	1864	James E. Starr*.....	2
1844	Eli Cook*.....	6	1867	Amasa S. Barry*.....	2
1845	Jotham S. Rogers* vacancy	6	1882	Melville C. Eames* vac'y	214
1845	C. G. Sanders* vacancy..	6	1882	James S. Ticknor*.....	31
1845	John L. Peake*.....	6	1883	Thos. B. Needles,* P.G.M.	37
1848	Herman Blakeley*.....	21	1914	E. F. Verry (1).....	152
1848	John G. Ives* vacancy....	6	1914-1919	M. P. Berry.....	412

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(1) Appointed to fill vacancy caused by death of Thos. B. Needles.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES.

Date.	Name.	No.	Date.	Name.	No.
1846	Thomas Alsop*.....	6	1864	Edward A. Rucker*.....	11
1847	Stevens S. Jones*.....	14	1864	Jeremiah Griswold*.....	250
1848	Horatio E. Roberts*.....	6	1865	Jeremiah Griswold*.....	250
1848	Christopher G. Y. Taylor*..	7	1865	John P. Foss*.....	55
1849	John G. Potts*.....	5	1866	John P. Foss*.....	55
1850	George W. Woodward*....	17	1866	Jeremiah Griswold*.....	250
1850	Stephen A. Corneau*.....	6	1867	Albert G. Lull*.....	22
1851	George W. Woodward*....	17	1867	Samuel Willard*.....	6
1852	William Rounseville*.....	163	1868	John G. Rogers*.....	22
1853	Isaac G. Wilson*.....	47	1868	Henry S. Herr*.....	77
1853	Henry L. Rucker*.....	11	1869	Henry S. Herr*.....	77
1854	Henry L. Rucker*.....	11	1869	Jediah F. Alexander*.....	3
1854	Henry S. Austin*.....	109	1870	Jediah F. Alexander*.....	3
1855	Henry S. Austin*.....	109	1870	Daniel Lewis Shorey*.....	22
1855	William Rounseville*.....	163	1871	Louis Furst*.....	295
1856	James E. Starr*.....	2	1871	J. Ward Ellis*.....	22
1857	James E. Starr*.....	2	1872	J. Ward Ellis*.....	22
1857	Perry A. Armstrong*.....	75	1872	Thomas B. Needles*.....	37
1858	Perry A. Armstrong*.....	75	1873	Thomas B. Needles*.....	37
1858	Augustus C. Marsh*.....	36	1873	John C. Smith*.....	17
1859	Augustus C. Marsh*.....	36	1874	John C. Smith*.....	17
1859	Willis Duff Green*.....	13	1875	Thomas B. Needles*.....	37
1860	James E. Starr*.....	2	1875	Thomas B. Needles*.....	37
1860	John G. Potts*.....	5	1875	Thomas F. Mitchell*.....	77
1861	B. J. Frank Hanna*.....	57	1876	Thomas F. Mitchell*.....	77
1861	Harrison W. Griswold*....	30	1876	Elijah B. Sherman*.....	214
1862	B. J. Frank Hanna*.....	57	1877	Elijah B. Sherman*.....	214
1862	Jeremiah Griswold*.....	250	1877	John H. Oberly*.....	224
1863	Jeremiah Griswold*.....	250	1878	John H. Oberly*.....	224
1863	Edward A. Rucker*.....	11	1878	Amos Henderson.....	4

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§Until 1845 inclusive, proxy representation in the Grand Lodge of the United States was permitted. In 1839 Past Grand Master Samuel Pryor, of Pennsylvania, was elected proxy Representative by the Grand Lodge of Illinois, but did not serve. At the adjourned session in April, 1840, Past Grand Master Augustus Mathiot, of Maryland, presented credentials as proxy Representative of Illinois, which were accepted, and he was also recognized in that capacity at the annual session in October following; but there is no record of his election or appointment. In 1842 and 1843, James Earnest, of New York, was elected and served as proxy Representative of Illinois. In 1844 Past Grand Master William S. Stewart, of Missouri, D.D.G.S., was requested to appoint a proxy Representative for the Grand Lodge of Illinois; but no such proxy was present at the session of that year, unless Stewart himself acted in that capacity. In 1845 no election for Representative was held.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES—Continued.

Date.	Name.	No.	Date.	Name.	No.
1879	Amos Henderson.....	4	1899	Cicero J. Lindly.....	3
1879	John Lake*.....	140	1900	Cicero J. Lindly.....	3
1880	John Lake*.....	140	1900	Edwin S. Conway.....	217
1880	Alfred Orendorff*.....	465	1901	Edwin S. Conway.....	217
1881	Alfred Orendorff*.....	465	1901	Cicero J. Lindly.....	3
1881	John Lake*.....	140	1902	Cicero J. Lindly.....	3
1882	John Lake*.....	140	1902	Edwin S. Conway.....	217
1882	Alfred Orendorff*.....	465	1903	Edwin S. Conway.....	217
1883	Alfred Orendorff*.....	465	1903	John W. Yantis.....	117
1883	John Lake*.....	140	1904	John W. Yantis.....	117
1884	John Lake*.....	140	1904	Edwin S. Conway.....	217
1884	Alfred Orendorff*.....	465	1905	John W. Yantis.....	117
1885	Alfred Orendorff*.....	465	1905	John J. Brown.....	122
1885	Augustus W. Berggren....	446	1906	John J. Brown.....	122
1886	James R. Miller*.....	426	1906	John A. Lucas.....	69
1886	Alfred Orendorff*.....	465	1907	John A. Lucas.....	69
1887	Alfred Orendorff*.....	465	1907	William R. Humphrey*....	240
1887	James R. Miller*.....	426	1908	William R. Humphrey*....	240
1888	James R. Miller*.....	426	1908	Fred B. Merrills.....	650
1888	Alfred Orendorff*.....	465	1909	Owen Scott.....	186
1889	Alfred Orendorff*.....	465	1909	Fred B. Merrills.....	650
1889	James R. Miller*.....	426	1910	Owen Scott.....	186
1890	James R. Miller*.....	426	1910	William M. Groves.....	117
1890	Alfred Orendorff*.....	465	1911	Eldo R. Saylor.....	6
1891	Alfred Orendorff*.....	465	1911	William M. Groves.....	117
1891	James R. Miller*.....	426	1912	Eldo R. Saylor.....	6
1892	James R. Miller*.....	426	1912	James Ewing Davis.....	450
1892	Robert W. S. Wheatley*..	232	1913	W. A. Hubbard.....	342
1893	Robert W. S. Wheatley*..	232	1913	James Ewing Davis.....	450
1893	J Otis Humphrey*.....	465	1914	W. A. Hubbard.....	342
1894	J Otis Humphrey*.....	465	1914	Jno. E. Jennings.....	158
1894	Edwin S. Conway.....	217	1915	Warren C. Darnall.....	746
1895	Edwin S. Conway.....	217	1915	Henry A. Stone*.....	122
1895	J Otis Humphrey*.....	465	1916	Warren C. Darnall.....	746
1896	J Otis Humphrey*.....	465	1916	William H. Pease.....	80
1896	Edwin S. Conway.....	217	1917	John J. Crowder.....	21
1897	Edwin S. Conway.....	217	1917	William H. Pease.....	80
1897	J Otis Humphrey*.....	465	1918	A. Otis Arnold.....	12
1898	J Otis Humphrey*.....	465	1919	H. M. Blood.....	645
1898	Edwin S. Conway.....	217	1919	James Ewing Davis.....	990
1899	Edwin S. Conway.....	217			

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GRAND OFFICERS AND ADDRESS OF EACH.

L. M. Kagy.....	Grand Master.....	Salem
John W. Birney.....	Deputy Grand Master.....	Bloomington
C. A. Robbins.....	Grand Warden.....	Dixon
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NOTICES.

The next Annual Session of the Grand Lodge of the State of Illinois, I. O. O. F., will be held in the City of Springfield, on the third Tuesday of November, 1919, viz., the 18th day of the month, at 3 o'clock.

The special attention of Secretaries and others is directed to the following law of the Sovereign Grand Lodge:

Resolved, That Grand Scribes and Grand Secretaries are hereby prohibited from delivering or transmitting visiting or withdrawal cards to any person whatever, or to any Encampment or Lodge, excepting upon the order in writing of an Encampment or Lodge, signed by its Scribe (in the case of an Encampment) or by its Secretary (in the case of a Lodge), and authenticated by the official seal of the Encampment or the Lodge.

Also to this law of the Grand Lodge of Illinois:

Resolved, That the Grand Secretary be directed not to fill any orders for supplies, for Lodges or individuals, *unless the cash accompany such order*.

In ordering such supplies as are sent by express, give full instructions; state to what office or station, and in whose care they may be forwarded.

All communications intended for the Grand Lodge, or the Grand Secretary, must be addressed to the undersigned at Springfield. The Grand Secretary's office is in the Grand Lodge Building, 115 W. Monroe street.

JOHN H. SIKES,

Grand Secretary.

Springfield, Ill., 1919.

PRICES OF I.O.O.F. SUPPLIES, AND REGULATIONS.

The following articles are kept at the office of the Grand Secretary for sale. The Journals of the Grand Lodge of Illinois and of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, I.O.O.F., Digests, Codes, Book of Forms, Book of Odes, Anniversary and Funeral Ceremonies and Diplomas are sold to individuals; the other articles must be ordered for Lodges, under seal, with payment accompanying the order.

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Code, Illinois, of 1906.....	2 00
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Code of Sovereign Grand Lodge.....	2 00
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History of Our Homes.....	25
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Odes, Funeral, with Responses.....	05
Odes, Lodge.....	05
Odes, with Music.....	10
Odes, with Music, Book of.....	65
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Lodge supplies are now sold by the Grand Secretary for Subordinate Lodges only; supplies for Rebekah Lodges must be ordered from the Secretary of the State Rebekah Assembly, MRS. MAE E. CROWELL, 1028 Ferguson Street, Rockford, Illinois.

Secretaries of Lodges will please observe that the law requires that all orders for such supplies as are sold only to Lodges *be signed by the Secretary and attested by the seal of the Lodge*; also that all orders must be accompanied by payment for the articles ordered.

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Fraternally,

JOHN H. SIKES,
Grand Secretary.

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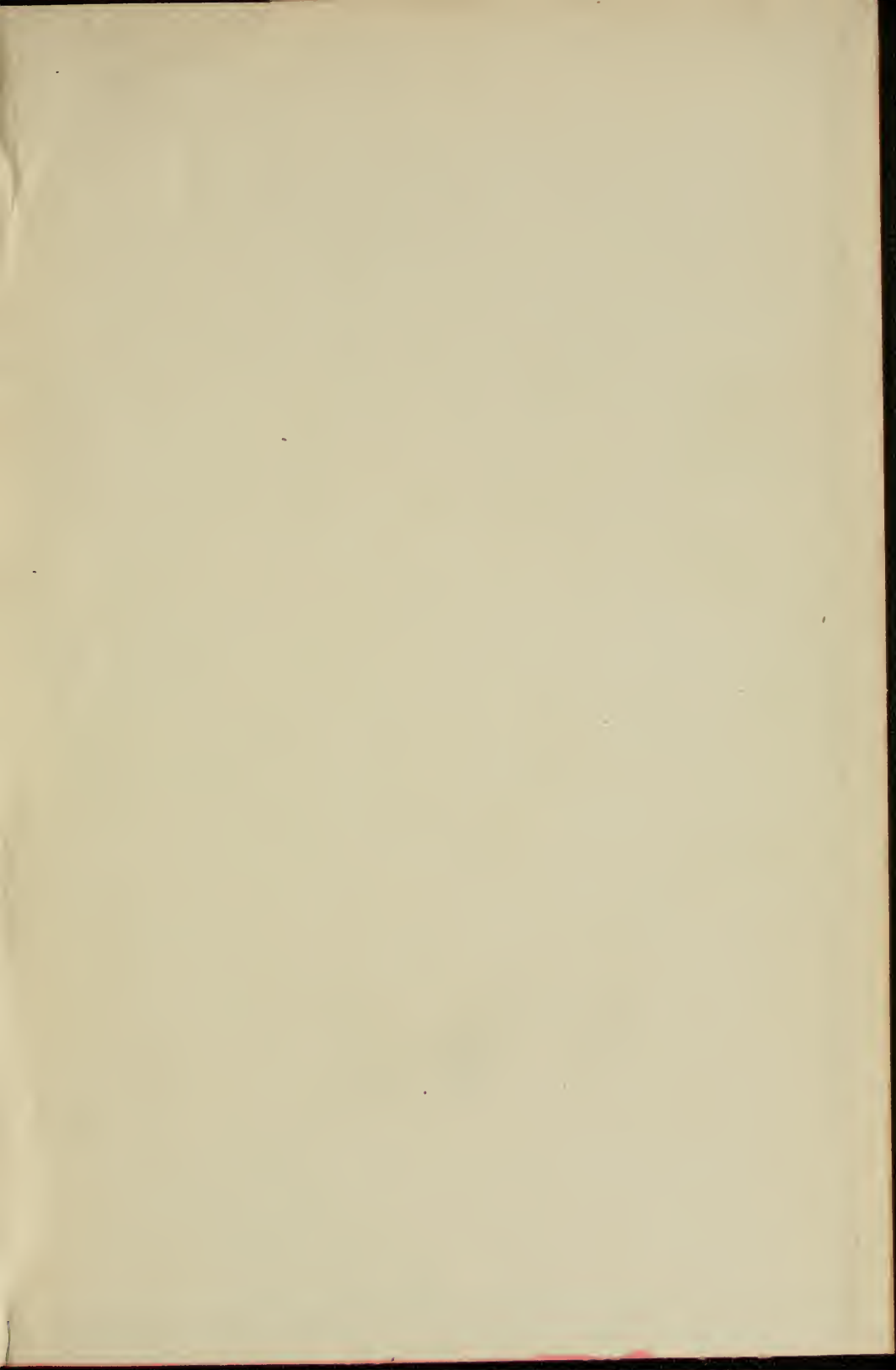
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